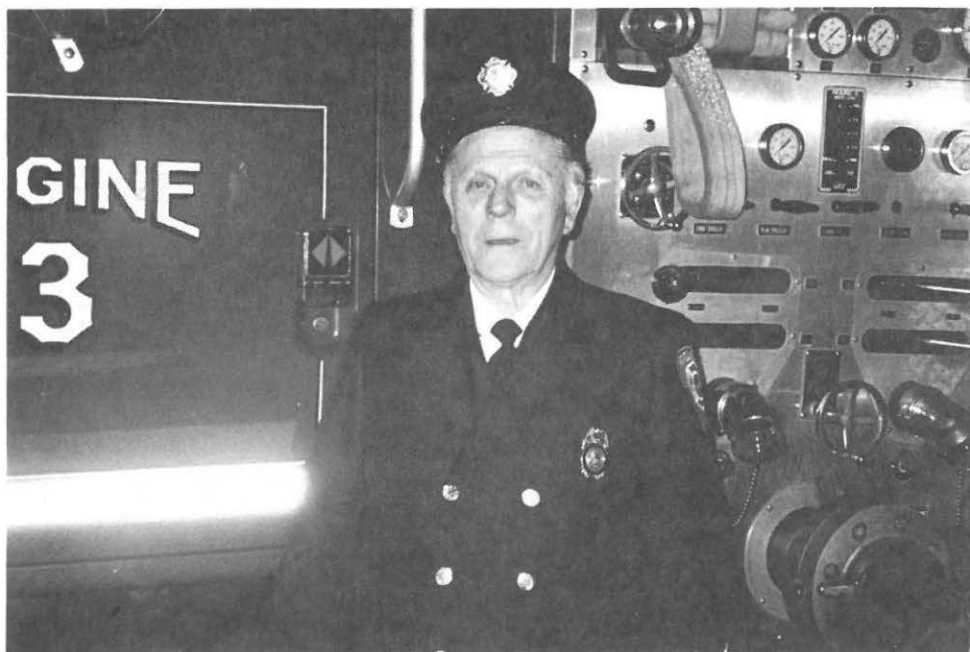


ANNUAL REPORT - TOWN OF RUTLAND, VERMONT  
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998

OLD TWIN BRIDGES OVER EAST CREEK - 1919

# *Dedication*



CLIFFORD W YOUNG

This year's 1998 Town Report is dedicated to Clifford "Kip" Young. Clifford and his wife Ethel moved to Rutland Town in 1946.

After serving in the Army during WW II, Kip chose his career as a carpenter. Now retired he enjoys working with his horses at Cliff Hollow stables. At 77 you will see Kip cutting and baling hay for his horses.

Age doesn't slow Kip down, as he is still active in the Rutland Town Fire Department, which he joined in the early 1970's.

Kip was a Town auditor from 1977 to 1981. Still wanting to serve the Town he became a Town Selectman from 1980 to 1992, he took a short break and again served on the Select Board from 1994 to 1996.

The Town of Rutland thanks Clifford for his years of faithful service and wishes him well in his retirement.

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**RUTLAND TOWN & RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL  
DISTRICT OFFICES**

			<b>TERM EXPIRES</b>
Moderator	Leigh Adams	(1 yr)	1999
Town Clerk	Annette Drinwater	(3 yrs)	2000
Town Treasurer	Annette Drinwater	(3 yrs)	2000
Select Board	John Paul Faignant	(2 yrs)	1999
	William T Matteson	(3 yrs)	1999
	Richard J DelBianco	(3 yrs)	2000
	Stanley Rhodes III	(2 yrs)	2000
	Rodney T Gallipo	(3 yrs)	2001
School Board	Lynette M Gallipo	(3 yrs)	1999
	Charles G Shomo	(2 yrs)	1999
	Donald P Tredtin	(2 yrs)	2000
	Kevin Mullin	(3 yrs)	2000
	S Stacy Chapman III	(3 yrs)	2001
Listers	George J Livak	(3 yrs)	1999
	Howard J Burgess	(3 yrs)	2000
	Dean Davis	(3 yrs)	2001
Road Commissioner	Marshall B Fish	( 1 yr)	1999
Tax Collector	Richard S Lloyd	( 1 yr)	1999
First Constable	Brian V Abbey	(2 yrs)	1999
Second Constable	John D Flory Jr	(2 yrs)	1999
Auditors	Shelly P Hendee	(3 yrs)	1999
	Joseph Surething	(3 yrs)	2000
	Roseanne T Krupp	(3 yrs)	2001
Cemetery Commissioners	Byron Hathaway	(3 yrs)	1999
	George J Livak	(3 yrs)	2000
	Rachel B Williams	(3 yrs)	2001
Grand Juror	Leigh Adams	( 1 yr)	1999
Fire Chief	Timothy H Perry		
Health Officer	J Barry Burke		
Deputy Health Officer	Stanley Rhodes III		
Forest Fire Warden	Joseph Denardo		
Emergency Management Mgr	John D Flory Jr		
Civil Defense Chairman	John D Flory Jr		
Town Service Officer	John D Flory Jr		
Administrative Assistant	Joseph B Zingale Jr		
House Dist Representative	Steven J Howard		
Regional Commission Representative	Fred Nicholson		
<b>Additonal Town Officers</b>			
Town Sec/Assistant Town			
Clerk/Treasurer	Jean C Anderson		
Office/Assistant Town			
Clerk/Treasurer	Marie K Hyjek		

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE****Elected November 1998 - Term from February 1, 1999 to February 1, 2001****REPUBLICANS**

Leigh E Adams  
 Harold E Billings  
 Chester A Brileya  
 Richard J DelBianco  
 George J Livak  
 Richard S Lloyd  
 William T Matteson  
 Lori A Mesli  
 Kevin J Mullin  
 David L Seward  
 John J Socinski

**DEMOCRATS**

Marlene Burke

**APPOINTED BY SELECT BOARD**

Weigher of Coal  
 Fence Viewers

David Mac  
 Anthony Belock  
 J Barry Burke  
 Marshall B Fish  
 George J Livak  
 John D Flory Jr  
 Sherwin L Williams  
 Byron J Hathaway

Tree Warden  
 Poundkeepers

Inspector of Wood

**PLANNING COMMISSION**

Anthony Belock, Chair	2000
Charles E Brothers	2002
J Barry Burke	1999
Marsha Chioffi	1999
William C Corey	2001
Robert Dombro	2002
Richard E Hoenes Sr	2000
George J Livak	2001
Christopher E Oakman	2002

**RECREATION COMMISSION**

Ernest M Cioffi	2001
Larry A DellVeneri	2001
Edward Dumas	2000
Samuel Fucile, Chair	1999
Steve Hawley	1999
Shelly Hendee	1999
James Shortle	2000

**TOWN SALARY RATE**  
**March 1998 - March 1999**

**ELECTED OFFICIALS**

Town Clerk	\$18,025.00 Per Annum
Town Treasurer	\$18,025.00 Per Annum
Select Board - Chair	\$2,516.00 Per Annum
Select Board - Clerk	\$2,516.00 Per Annum
Select Board - Others	\$2,049.00 Per Annum
Select Board - Additional Work	\$9.94 Per Hour
Listers - Chair	\$11.19 Per Hour
Listers	\$9.94 Per Hour
Auditors	\$12.36 Per Hour
Constables	\$9.94 Per Hour
Moderator	\$9.94 Per Hour
Road Commissioner	\$10.79 Per Hour
Justices of the Peace	\$9.65 Per Hour

**HIRED AND/OR APPOINTED**

Assistant Town Clerk/Treas/Secretary (Part Time)	\$13.11 Per Hour
Assistant Town Clerk/Treas/Secretary	\$9.79 Per Hour
Health Officer	\$11.19 Per Hour
Highway Labor (Full Time)	\$9.60 Per Hour
Highway Labor (Part Time)	\$9.37 Per Hour
Planning Commission Members	\$23.40 Per Meeting
Regional Planning Commission Members	\$23.40 Per Meeting
Recreation Commission Members	\$7,000.00 Total
Ballot Clerks	\$9.65 Per Hour
Administrative Assistant	\$39,078.00 Per Annum





### AUDITORS

Shelly P. Hendee, Joseph A. Surething - Chair, Rosanne Krupp

### AUDITORS' REPORT

#### TO THE HONORABLE SELECTBOARD:

We have, to the best of our abilities, examined the records and accounts of the Town's General Fund and associated funds as of December 31, 1998.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Town at December 31, 1998, and the results of their operations, and changes in their financial position for the year then ended. We have sent copies of our management letter stating any weaknesses there may be to the Town Treasurer and the Honorable Selectboard.

As auditors, we have reviewed the accounting controls of the Town Treasurer's Office and have utilized accepted auditing procedures as provided by the State of Vermont.

We especially thank the Town Treasurer for his cooperation and support in assisting us in the examination of the Town records.

Respectfully submitted,  
BOARD OF AUDITORS

*Joseph A. Surething*  
Joseph A. Surething

*Shelly P. Hendee*  
Shelly P. Hendee

*Rosanne Krupp*  
Rosanne Krupp

**AUDITORS' REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION  
OF THE TOWN OF RUTLAND  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1998**

**ASSETS**

Account Balance:		
General	\$1,094.86	
Highway	69365.09	
Fire	\$7,494.72	
Recreation	\$18,148.48	
Sewage Fund	\$226,840.72	
Water Fund	(-\$144,596.35)	
Cemetery (Working)	<u>\$417.44</u>	
		\$176,575.24
Unpaid Taxes		\$41,730.74
Outstanding Fees		<u>\$304.50</u>
		\$42,035.24

**LIABILITIES**

Unpaid Bills:		
General	\$3,737.24	
Highway	\$197.39	
Fire	\$479.77	
Recreation	\$70.90	
Sewer	\$0.00	
Water	<u>\$58.20</u>	
		\$4,543.50
Surplus		<u>\$37,491.74</u>
		\$42,035.24

**OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS**

South End Sewer Project	\$390,000.00	
North End Sewer Project	\$750,660.00	
Transfer Station	<u>\$150,000.00</u>	
		\$1,290,660.00

Respectively Submitted  
BOARD OF AUDITORS  
Joseph A Surething, Chair  
Shelly P Hendee  
Rosanne Krupp



### **BOARD OF SELECTPERSONS & ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

Front Row: Joseph B. Zingale - Adm. Ass't, John Paul Faignant, Richard J. DelBianco - Clerk  
 Second Row: William T. Matteson, Rodney T. Gallipo - Chair, Stanley F. Rhodes III

### **RUTLAND TOWN 1998 OUR YEAR REVIEW**

To the Residents of Rutland Town:

As we look back on 1998, it has to be described as a year of uncertainty and change. The first Town-Wide Reappraisal since 1968 took place and for the most part appears to have been a successful effort. However, as with any project of this size, grievances are sure to occur and the Listers, along with the Board of Civil Authority, are working to solve any inequities.

Also, for the first time taxpayers can pay their property tax in three installments. This should make it easier for those who have large tax bills and reduce the likely-hood of a large number of delinquencies.

The most difficult challenge of 1998 had to be dealing with the impact of Act 60, our State's new education funding law. As many of us know, Rutland Town is considered a "Gold Town" under this new law and must share a portion of its' taxes with other communities throughout the State. This has resulted in a significant tax increase for 1998, with the full impact taking place in 1999.

The Select Board has taken a position of opposition to Act 60, and along with other "Gold Towns", urge our Vermont Legislature to repeal this law, and find an alternate funding method.

1998 was the year of E-911, a State-of-the Art computerized system to help emergency personnel respond to those who need these services quickly and more accurately, even if the caller is unable to complete their entire message. The Select Board would like to thank our Administrative Assistant, Joseph Zingale, for the many hours spent putting together the E-911 Program for our Town so as we could meet the November deadline.

At the present time, the Planning Commission and Select Board are in the process of re-adopting our current Town Plan. This is basically the same plan adopted in the year 1993 with only several minor revisions.



The Vermont Agency of Transportation is expected to receive a recommendation from their consultants' Environmental Impact Study regarding the Route 4 – 7 Bypass. Public input on the Bypass matter has been curtailed by the State and it's anybody's guess what the end result for Rutland Town will be.

In September, one of our Board members, Karen Bossi, resigned because of relocation to the City of Rutland. Karen was an active member of the Recreation Commission for many years before serving on the Select Board. Her dedication and service to the Town is very much appreciated and her talents will surely be missed. In November, Stanley F. Rhodes III was elected to fill the vacancy on the Board, and we hope that he enjoys his new position as Select Person.

The citizens of Rutland Town are fortunate to have dedicated employees and volunteers, who are committed to the success of our community. The Select Board would like to thank these individuals for their exceptional efforts.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Rodney T. Gallipo, Chair  
 Richard J. DelBianco, Clerk  
 John Paul Faignant  
 William T. Matteson  
 Stanley F. Rhodes III

### RUTLAND TOWN WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of Rutland are hereby warned to meet at the Rutland Town Elementary School on Post Road on Monday, March 1, 1999 at 7:30 PM to discuss Articles #2 thru #24.

On Tuesday, March 2, 1999 at 7:00 AM at the Town Hall in Center Rutland for voters living on the West Side of Route 7, and at the Elementary School Gym on Post Road for voters living on the East Side of Route 7 to vote on Articles #1 thru #23 inclusive, by Australian Ballot.

Polls will close at 7:00 PM on March 2, 1999.

#### ARTICLES:

1. Choose all necessary officers required by law.
2. Shall the voters authorize the Select Board to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?
3. Will the Town vote to collect taxes on real and personal property in installments?
4. If the answer to the preceding Article is in the affirmative, the Town will vote to collect taxes on real and personal property in three installments as follows: the first installment shall be due on September 10, 1999, and shall consist of **all** the taxes attributable to Town expenditures plus one third (1/3) of the taxes attributable to school and education expenditures; the second installment shall be due and payable on January 10, 2000, and shall consist of one third (1/3) of the taxes attributable to school and education expenditures; the third installment shall be due on May 10, 2000 and shall consist of one third (1/3) of the taxes attributable to school and education expenditures.
5. Shall the voters authorize the Select Board to raise by taxes an amount not to exceed **FOUR HUNDRED FORTY SIX THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$446,000.00)** for use toward the operation of the General Fund Budget?
6. Shall the voters authorize the Select Board to raise by taxes an amount not to exceed **THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY SIX THOUSAND & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$326,000.00)** for the use toward the operation of the Highway Fund Budget?
7. Shall the voters authorize the Select Board to raise by taxes an amount not to exceed **EIGHTY NINE THOUSAND & NO/100 DOLLARS (89,000.00)** for use toward the operation of the Fire Fund Budget?
8. Shall the voters authorize the Select Board to raise by taxes an amount not to exceed **FIFTY THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$50,800.00)** for use toward the operation of the Recreation Fund Budget?
9. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed **FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE & NO /100 DOLLARS (\$485.00)** toward supporting the work of the Vermont Center for Independent Living of Disabled Vermonters?

10. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed FIVE HUNDRED & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$500.00) toward supporting the Vermont Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired?
11. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed FIVE HUNDRED & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$500.00) toward supporting the work of the Rutland County Battered Women's Network?
12. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed SIX HUNDRED SEVENTY & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$670.00) toward supporting the work of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) of Rutland County?
13. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed EIGHT HUNDRED & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$800.00) toward supporting the work of Association for Retarded Citizens?
14. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE & NO DOLLARS (\$975.00) toward supporting the work of the Bennington – Rutland Opportunity Council in Rutland Town for the year 1999?
15. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$1,300.00) toward supporting the work of the Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging Inc. for the elder citizens of Rutland Town?
16. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY SEVEN & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$1,357.00) toward the operating costs of the Boys & Girls Club of Rutland County?
17. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed THREE THOUSAND & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$3,000.00) as our share toward the Rutland Economic Development Corporation's budget to promote economic development in the Rutland Region in Rutland Town?
18. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed FOUR THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$4,350.00) in support of Rutland Area Community Services (formerly Rutland Mental Health)?
19. Shall the voters authorize the Select Board to raise by taxes the sum of money not to exceed FIVE THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) for scholarships, to be awarded to worthy 1999 High School graduates of the Town of Rutland, who have resided in the Town at least two (2) years and wish to attend institutions of higher learning?
20. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed SIXTY-FIVE HUNDRED & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$6,500.00) to support the Rutland Visiting Nurse

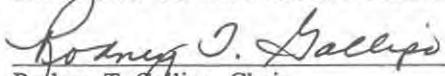


Association and Hospice in fiscal year 1999 (\$500.00 to support Rutland Area Hospice and \$6,000.00 to support RAVNAH home and community health services)?

21. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate the sum of EIGHTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FIVE & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$18,905.00) toward the operating cost of the Regional Ambulance Service for 1999?
22. Shall the Town of Rutland appropriate an amount not to exceed TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$25,000.00) to the Fire Department for the purchase of a Thermal Imaging System to help locate fire victims and hidden fires?
23. Shall the Town of Rutland continue its participation in the Rutland Free Library Association Inc. and approve an appropriation not exceed SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-FOUR & NO/100 DOLLARS (\$75,434.00) for the year 1999?
24. To transact any other necessary, legal and proper business, which may come before said meeting.


Rutland Town  
January 28, 1999

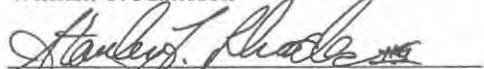
# RUTLAND TOWN SELECT BOARD

  
Rodney T. Gallipo, Chair

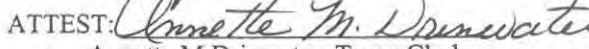
  
Richard J. DelBianco, Clerk

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John Paul Faignant

  
William T. Matteson

  
Stanley F. Rhodes III

Received for Record the 29TH day of January A.D. 1999 at 2<sup>00</sup> <sup>minutes</sup> and  
00 Minutes P M.

ATTEST:   
Annette M Drinwater, Town Clerk

**TOWN OF RUTLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT  
WARNING FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING**

The legal voters of the Town of Rutland School District are hereby warned to meet at the Rutland Town Elementary School on Post Road on Monday, March 1, 1999 at 7:30 P.M. to discuss Articles 2 through 5. At the close of business, the meeting shall adjourn to 7:00 A.M. Tuesday, March 2, 1999, at the Town Hall, Center Rutland for voters living on the West side of Route 7, and the Elementary School Gym on the Post Road for voters living on the East side of Route 7 to vote on Articles 1 through 4.


The polls will open at 7:00 A.M. and close at 7:00 P.M. Voting will be by Australian Ballot.

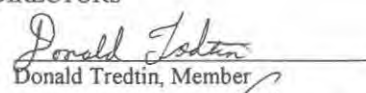
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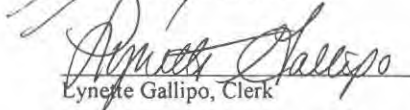
1. Choose all necessary School Directors required by law.
2. Shall the voters of the Town of Rutland School District appropriate the sum of Four million, eight hundred twenty thousand, three hundred two dollars (\$4,820,302) necessary for the support of its schools for the year beginning July 1, 1999?
3. Shall the voters authorize the Board of School Directors to appropriate the sum of Thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000) for the purpose of expanding the kindergarten program to full day classes
4. Shall the voters authorize the School Directors to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?
5. To transact any other necessary legal and proper business which may come before said meeting.

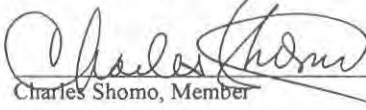
DATED at Rutland Town, Vermont this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1999.

**BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS**

  
S. Stacy Chapman, Chairman

  
Donald Tredtin, Member

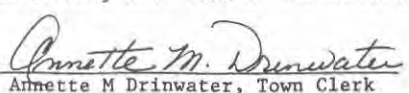
  
Lynette Gallipo, Clerk

  
Charles Shomo, Member

  
Kevin Mullin Member

Received for record the 27th day of January A.D. 1999 at 2 o'clock and 20 minutes PM.

ATTEST:

  
Annette M Drinwater, Town Clerk

INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTERS  
OPTECH TABULATORS

Here is some basic information for you, the voter. If you have questions after reading this poster or at any time during the voting process, ask your town clerk or another election official.

**CHECK-IN**

1. Go to the entrance, checklist table.
2. Give your name, (and if asked), your residence to the election official in a clear, audible voice.
3. Wait until your name is repeated and checked off by the official.

**ENTER**

1. Enter within the guardrail and do not leave until you have voted.
2. An election official will hand you a ballot.
3. Go to a vacant booth.

**MARK YOUR BALLOT-VOTE FOR ONLY ONE CANDIDATE**

1. To vote for a person whose name is printed on the ballot, complete the arrow to the right of the name of the candidate.
2. To vote for someone whose name is not printed on the ballot, use the blank "write in" line on the ballot and complete the arrow to the right of the name.
3. Your ballot will be counted by a tabulator. **DO NOT FOLD, BEND OR DAMAGE** the card.

**VOTE**

1. Place your voted ballot into the tabulator.

**LEAVE**

Leave the voting area by passing outside the guardrail.

**VOTERS—PLEASE NOTE  
IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO VOTE  
ON TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1999  
PLEASE CALL THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE  
AT 773-2528 FOR AN ABSENTEE BALLOT  
AND WE WILL MAIL IT TO YOU  
OR  
COME TO THE OFFICE IN PERSON TO VOTE.  
PLEASE TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OPPORTUNITY!**



## NOTICE TO VOTERS BEFORE ELECTION DAY

### CHECKLIST POSTED:

By Sunday, January 31, 1999 make sure your name is on it. If your name is not on it,

### REGISTER TO VOTE:

When: No later than twelve noon on Saturday, February 20.

Where: Town Clerk's Office

### ABSENTEE BALLOTS:

When: On March 1, apply no later than 5:00 p.m. or close of the clerk's office it for self, and no later than 12:00 noon if on behalf of another person.

Where: Town Clerk's Office

How: Either in person, in writing or by telephone.

Who: Voter or family member may apply all three ways above; other authorized person may apply for voter in person or in writing.

### Ways of voting absentee:

Vote in Town Clerk's office before the deadline.

Have ballot mailed to you, and mail or take it back to the Clerk's Office before election day or to polling place before 7:00 p.m. on election day. If disabled or ill, have two justices of the peace bring a ballot to your at your home on the day before or the day of the election.

### SAMPLE BALLOTS POSTED:

Saturday, February 20.

## ON ELECTION DAY

If your name was dropped from the checklist in error, explain the situation to your Town Clerk and ask that it be put back on.

If the problem isn't cleared up to your satisfaction, have the Town Clerk, a Selectperson or other members of the Board of Civil Authority call an immediate meeting of the members of the Board who are present at the polls. They should investigate the problem and clear it up.

If you are still not satisfied, you may appeal to a Superior Court Judge, who will settle the matter that day. Call the Secretary of State's Office at 1-800-439-VOTE for more information.

If you know voters who have physical disabilities, are visually impaired or can't read, let them know they may bring a friend or relative to help them vote.

If you voters who cannot get from the car into the polling place, let them know that a ballot may be brought to their car by two election officials.

### DO NOT

Knowingly vote more than once, either in the same town or in different towns.

Mislead the Board of Civil Authority about your own or another person's eligibility to vote.

Interfere with the progress of a voter to and from the polling place. Socialize in a manner that will disturb other voters.

## FOR HELP OR INFORMATION

### Call the Secretary of State's Office

### 1-800-439-VOTE OR

### TTY: 1-800-253-0191 VOICE: 1-800-253-0195



### TOWN CLERK & TREASURER'S OFFICE

left to right: Marie K. Hyjek, Ass't Town Clerk & Treasurer  
Annette M. Drinwater, Town Clerk & Treasurer  
Jean C. Anderson, Town Secretary

### TREASURERS' REPORT STATEMENT OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1998

General Tax	\$0.362
Highway Tax	\$0.108
Fire Tax	\$0.014
Recreation Tax	\$0.011
School Tax	\$1.270
Fire Depreciation Tax	<u>\$0.02</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1.785</b>

(Municipal) Real Estate Grand List	\$341,625,500.00
(Municipal) Personal Property Grand List	<u>\$102,212,270.00</u>
<b>LISTED VALUE</b>	<b>\$443,837,770.00</b>

<b>(MUNICIPAL) TOTAL GRAND LIST (1% of Listed Value)</b>	<b>\$4,438,377.70</b>
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(Municipal) Real & Personal Property	
(Municipal) Grand List \$4,438,377.70 assessed @ \$0.515	\$2,290,018.00
(Education) Grand List \$3,420,476.00 assessed @ \$1.270	<u>\$4,344,391.00</u>
	<b>\$6,634,409.00</b>

Paid to Treasurer as of 12-31-98:	\$2,252,194.78
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**NOTE: Amounts still to be collected for TOWN and SCHOOL FOR 1998-1999  
are as follows:**

January 10, 1999	\$2,211,469.68
May 10, 1999	\$2,211,469.68

**RUTLAND TOWN SEWER USERS  
RECEIPTS**

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	Balance 12/31/97	\$181,327.37
074013	Sewer Users	\$456,013.37
074020	Miscellaneous	\$1,936.74
074033	Delinquent Sewer Interest	\$5,000.00
074035	Fire District #1 Users	\$33,541.55
074036	Flory Heights Users	\$3,517.07
074038	Flory Heights Sewer Bond	\$1,249.25
075039	Fire District #1 Annual Loan Repayment	\$5,000.00
075040	On Site Sewer	\$20.00
074042	Sewer Hook-Up Fees	\$35,700.00
074045	Town Septic	\$1,535.00
074046	Loan Repayment	<u>\$38,000.00</u>
		\$762,840.35
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>		
075011	City of Rutland	\$437,577.62
075020	Septic Refund	\$975.00
075021	Electricity	\$637.47
075041	Flory Height Users	\$2,201.25
075051	Miscellaneous:	
	Rutland Fire Dist #1	\$923.80
	Anthony Flory	\$280.00
	Computerized Business Service	\$272.45
	City of Rutland	<u>\$30.00</u>
		\$1,506.25
075052	Engineering:	
	Dufresne-Henry Inc	\$4,021.99
	Robert & Franzoni	<u>\$188.50</u>
		\$4,210.49
075071	Maintenance	\$950.00
075093	Fire District #1 Users	\$33,541.55
075098	North End Sewer Phone	\$700.00
075099	General Acc't - Hook-Up Fees	\$35,700.00
075110	Temporary Loan	\$18,000.00
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$226,840.72</u>
		\$762,840.35

**RUTLAND TOWN WATER ACCOUNT  
RECEIPTS**

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	Balance 12/31/97	( \$194746.92)
084001	Water Users	\$18,924.17
084011	Miscellaneous	\$2,049.05
084012	EPA-WS-296	<u>\$38,970.82</u>
		( \$134,802.88)
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>		
085001	City of Rutland	\$42.01
085011	Electricity	\$308.39
085031	Miscellaneous:	
	VT Dept of Health	\$1,238.00

**RUTLAND TOWN WATER ACCOUNT (Cont.)**  
**DISBURSEMENTS**

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
085031	Miscellaneous (Cont.):	
	Sever Trent	\$120.00
	VT Transit	\$69.60
	Treas-City of Rutland	<u>\$42.76</u>
		\$1,470.36
085041	Maintenance:	
	City of Rutland	\$6,844.73
	Howard W Stratton	<u>\$1,127.98</u>
		\$7,972.71
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>(-\$144,596.35)</u>
		(-\$134,802.88)

**RUTLAND TOWN CEMETERY ASSOCIATION**  
(Working Fund)

## RECEIPTS

	Balance 12/31/97	\$1,074.44	
094201	Perpetual Account	\$400.00	
094202	Miscellaneous	\$85.00	
094203	Grave Opening	<u>\$150.00</u>	
			\$1,709.44

## DISBURSEMENTS

095001	Mowing:		
	Rachael Williams	\$1,032.00	
	George Livak	<u>\$60.00</u>	
			\$1,092.00
095051	Grave Opening:		
	George Livak	\$110.00	
	Byron Hathaway	<u>\$90.00</u>	
			\$200.00
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$417.44</u>	\$1,709.44

**RUTLAND TOWN CEMETERY ASSOCIATION**  
(Perpetual Account)

## RECEIPTS

	Balance 12/31/97	\$49,475.64	
104001	Lot Sales	\$1,350.00	
104011	Interest - CD	\$3,074.37	
104022	Interest - Bonds	\$672.89	
104023	Interest - Money Market	<u>\$225.41</u>	
			\$54,798.31
	<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>		
	No Disbursements	\$0.00	
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$54,798.31</u>	
			\$54,798.31

**REVENUE SHARING ACCOUNT  
RECEIPTS**

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	Balance 12/31/97	\$29,126.93
124012	Interest - Money Market	<u>\$1,062.21</u>
		\$30,189.14

**DISBURSEMENTS**

	Highway Account	\$30,189.14
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$0.00</u>
		\$30,189.14

**FIRE EQUIPMENT DEPRECIATION FUND  
RECEIPTS**

	Balance 12/31/97	\$145,832.29
134003	Interest - Money Market	\$7,294.48
134010	Property Taxes	<u>\$88,768.00</u>
		\$241,894.77

**DISBURSEMENTS**

135005	Dingee Machine Co	\$45,000.00
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$196,894.77</u>
		\$241,894.77

**RECREATION EQUIPMENT DEPRECIATION FUND  
RECEIPTS**

	Balance 12/31/97	\$58,907.14
144002	Interest-Money Market	<u>\$3,085.10</u>
		\$61,992.24

**DISBURSEMENTS**

145002	Nothwood Pool	
	Howard Stratton	\$5,698.24
145007	New Equipment	
	WC Landon Inc	\$229.00
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$56,065.00</u>
		\$61,992.24

**LANDFILL ESCROW ACCOUNT  
RECEIPTS**

	Balance 12/31/97	\$43,299.81
234002	Interest - Money Market	<u>\$1,619.74</u>
		\$44,919.55

**DISBURSEMENTS**

235005	Howard Bank N.A.	\$34,445.26
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$10,474.29</u>
		\$44,919.55

**NORTH END SEWER PROJECT  
RECEIPTS**

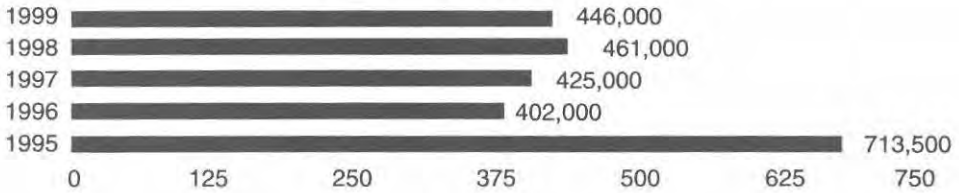
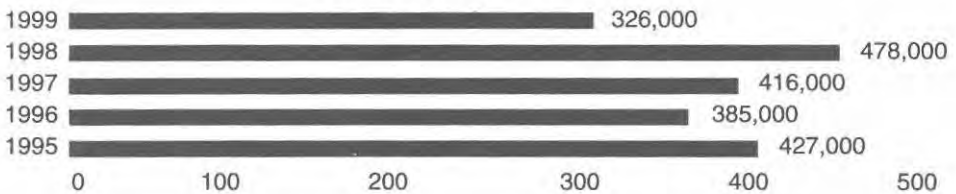
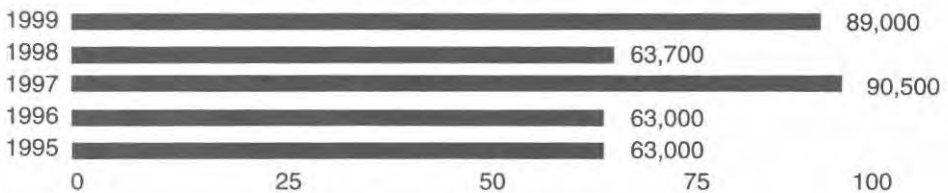
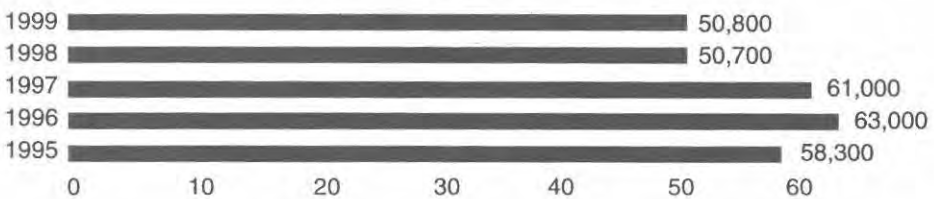
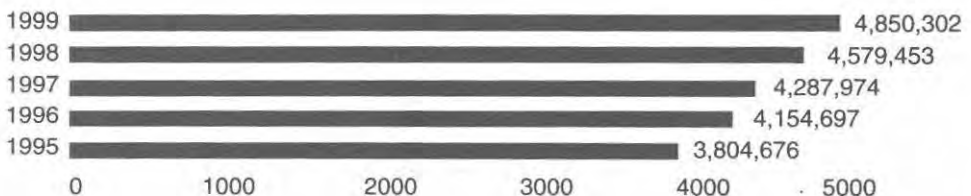
Balance 12/31/97	\$2,513.00	
General Account - Temporary Loan	\$300,000.00	
State of VT Grant RFI-018	\$96,870.32	
State of VT Grant 286	\$3,190.04	
Sewer Account - Temporary Loan	\$18,000.00	
Albank - Interest	<u>\$640.96</u>	
		\$421,214.32

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Dufresne-Henry Inc Engineering	\$21,253.96	
Ray Cooley Construction Co	\$300,000.00	
Sewer Account Temp Loan Re-Payment	\$38,000.00	
Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$61,960.36</u>	
		\$421,214.32

Respectively Submitted  
Annette M Drinwater  
Treasurer



**5-YEAR BUDGET TRENDS****(in thousands)****Amount To Be Raised By Taxes****GENERAL ACCOUNT****HIGHWAY ACCOUNT****FIRE ACCOUNT****RECREATION ACCOUNT****SCHOOL ACCOUNT**

**NOTE**

**ALL BUDGETS WILL BE VOTED BY  
AUSTRALIAN BALLOT ON  
TUESDAY MARCH 2, 1999 FROM  
7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M.**

**TOWN MEETING NIGHT  
MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1999  
WILL BE FOR THE GENERAL  
DISCUSSION  
ON THE ANNUAL TOWN REPORT,  
BUDGETS AND ALL ARTICLES ON  
THE AUSTRALIAN BALLOTS PLUS  
ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY  
COME BEFORE SAID MEETING.**

**THIS MEETING WILL BE SIMILAR  
TO THE ONES IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
EXCEPT NO VOTES WILL BE  
TAKEN ON THE AUSTRALIAN  
BALLOT ARTICLES.**

**PLEASE TRY TO ATTEND AND  
OBTAIN FIRST HAND KNOWLEDGE  
OF ALL BUDGETS AND ARTICLES  
YOU WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE ON  
TUESDAY, MARCH 2.**

**THANK YOU.**

**RUTLAND TOWN  
GENERAL BUDGET - 1999**

ACCT NO	ITEM	BUDGET 1998	ACTUAL EXPEND 1998	PROPOSED BUDGET 1999
035025	Social Security	\$18,500.00	\$17,956.88	\$18,000.00
	<b>SALARIES ADMINISTRATIVE:</b>			
035110	Selectmen	\$12,400.00	\$11,960.39	\$12,400.00
035115	Listers	\$23,000.00	\$28,315.47	\$24,200.00
035120	Auditors	\$3,300.00	\$1,818.30	\$2,500.00
035125	Town Clerk	\$17,950.00	\$18,617.34	\$18,750.00
035130	Town Treasurer	\$17,950.00	\$17,924.07	\$18,750.00
035135	Ass't Town Clerk / Treasurer	\$20,230.00	\$20,939.80	\$22,000.00
035136	Administrative Assistant	\$38,860.00	\$38,859.15	\$40,641.00
035137	Consulting-Clerk / Treasurer	<u>\$3,500.00</u>	<u>\$3,176.25</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$137,190.00	\$141,610.77	\$141,241.00
	<b>SALARIES - MISCELLANEOUS:</b>			
035151	Justices of the Peace	\$5,100.00	\$5,917.55	\$5,000.00
035152	Ballot Clerks	\$2,350.00	\$938.05	\$1,000.00
035123	Office Secretary	\$17,500.00	\$17,756.02	\$18,670.00
035154	Health Officer	\$400.00	\$528.69	\$500.00
035156	Lister Assistant	\$1,500.00	\$5,229.00	\$2,500.00
035157	Animal Control Officers	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,957.85</u>	<u>\$3,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$28,850.00	\$33,327.16	\$30,670.00
	<b>SALARIES - CONSTABLES:</b>			
035161	First Constable	\$10,272.00	\$9,888.05	\$10,700.00
035162	Second Constable	<u>\$10,272.00</u>	<u>\$10,285.89</u>	<u>\$10,700.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$20,544.00	\$20,173.94	\$21,400.00
	<b>LAW ENFORCEMENT:</b>			
035163	Traffic Enforcement	\$33,800.00	\$29,677.75	\$32,700.00
035164	General Law Enforcement	\$12,500.00	\$13,419.58	\$13,000.00
035165	Law Enforcement Mileage	\$6,000.00	\$5,962.50	\$6,000.00
035166	Communication	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$1,500.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$52,300.00	\$49,059.83	\$53,200.00
	<b>PRINTING, POSTAGE, &amp; SUPPLIES:</b>			
035171	Center Rutland Postmaster	\$6,500.00	\$7,020.82	\$6,500.00
035172	Town Clerk	\$25.00	\$0.00	\$25.00
035173	Garrow Printing	\$750.00	\$249.00	\$500.00
035174	Town Report	\$1,700.00	\$2,062.03	\$2,000.00
035175	General Supplies	\$3,000.00	\$3,641.34	\$3,500.00
035176	Jos J Marotti Co Inc	\$1,000.00	\$350.10	\$500.00
035177	Miscellaneous	\$250.00	\$215.12	\$250.00
035178	Constable Supplies	\$1,000.00	\$857.76	\$750.00
035179	Micro-Filming	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$750.00
035180	Election Supplies	<u>\$4,000.00</u>	<u>\$4,516.40</u>	<u>\$3,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$18,225.00	\$18,912.57	\$17,775.00
	<b>STREET LIGHTS &amp; SIGNALS:</b>			
035181	CVPS Corporation	\$13,000.00	\$14,224.12	\$15,000.00

## GENERAL BUDGET - 1999 (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	BUDGET 1998	ACTUAL EXPEND 1998	PROPOSED BUDGET 1999
	TRANSFER STATION:			
035190	Utilities	\$3,000.00	\$1,891.81	\$2,500.00
035192	Engineering	\$8,000.00	\$7,734.15	\$10,000.00
035193	Miscellaneous Costs	\$2,500.00	\$3,196.09	\$2,500.00
035194	Hazardous Waste Removal	\$4,500.00	\$1,598.67	\$1,600.00
035195	Snow Removal	\$2,000.00	\$1,071.00	\$1,500.00
035196	Waste Removal	\$33,000.00	\$35,316.54	\$35,000.00
035198	Attendants	\$14,000.00	\$12,930.00	\$13,600.00
035199	Recycling	\$5,000.00	\$9,810.59	\$5,500.00
035200	R.C.J.M.S.C.	<u>\$5,672.00</u>	<u>\$5,223.26</u>	<u>\$5,700.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$77,672.00	\$78,772.11	\$77,900.00
	MUNICIPAL OFFICE BUILDING:			
035201	Electricity	\$3,500.00	\$2,183.75	\$3,000.00
035202	Heat	\$2,500.00	\$1,914.26	\$2,500.00
035203	Telephone	\$5,000.00	\$5,128.94	\$5,000.00
035205	Maintenance Supplies	\$600.00	\$645.87	\$1,000.00
035206	Maintenance Services	\$7,500.00	\$8,951.78	\$8,000.00
035208	Capital Improvements	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$20,100.00	\$18,824.60	\$20,500.00
035211	Attorneys	\$35,000.00	\$62,782.82	\$35,000.00
035216	Municipal Retirement	\$6,201.00	\$6,135.79	\$6,400.00
	MILEAGE:			
035221	Town Clerk / Treasurer	\$200.00	\$216.30	\$200.00
035222	Select Board	\$100.00	\$13.80	\$100.00
035223	Listers	\$500.00	\$271.20	\$250.00
035224	Justices of the Peace	\$50.00	\$4.80	\$25.00
035225	Constables	\$7,248.00	\$7,344.00	\$7,300.00
035226	Others	\$450.00	\$342.90	\$300.00
035227	Administrative Assistant	\$250.00	\$445.86	\$400.00
035228	Animal Control	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$719.10</u>	<u>\$700.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$9,298.00	\$9,357.96	\$9,275.00
	INSURANCE:			
035231	General	\$32,000.00	\$31,753.37	\$29,500.00
035232	Health	<u>\$21,200.00</u>	<u>\$21,175.88</u>	<u>\$22,200.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$53,200.00	\$52,929.25	\$51,700.00
	EQUIPMENT - NEW & REPAIRS:			
035241	New	\$6,000.00	\$5,229.00	\$4,000.00
035249	Repairs	<u>\$2,500.00</u>	<u>\$2,047.70</u>	<u>\$2,500.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$8,500.00	\$7,276.70	\$6,500.00
035251	Advertising	\$3,000.00	\$2,211.82	\$2,500.00
	TOWN PLANNING / ZONING			
035261	Legal Services	\$4,000.00	\$150.00	\$2,000.00
035262	Regional Commission	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
035263	Planning Commission	\$5,500.00	\$4,959.80	\$4,500.00

## GENERAL BUDGET - 1999 (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	BUDGET 1998	ACTUAL BUDGET 1998	PROPOSED BUDGET 1999
	TOWN PLANNING / ZONING (Cont.)			
035264	Miscellaneous	\$1,500.00	\$216.46	\$1,000.00
035265	Advertising	\$1,750.00	\$1,966.76	\$1,500.00
035267	Consulting Fees	<u>\$11,300.00</u>	<u>\$6,734.47</u>	<u>\$7,500.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$24,550.00	\$14,527.49	\$17,000.00
035271	Interest	\$74,000.00	\$75,030.03	\$50,000.00
035272	V.L.C.T.	\$2,210.00	\$2,210.00	\$2,310.00
035273	Consultant - Bypass	\$2,500.00	\$3,830.35	\$2,500.00
035275	Miscellaneous Expense	\$4,000.00	\$6,005.49	\$5,000.00
035277	Contingency	\$5,000.00	\$11,790.79	\$5,000.00
035278	Computer Service	\$3,200.00	\$3,219.30	\$3,500.00
035279	July 4th - Celebration	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
	TAXES - COUNTY			
035285	West Rutland	\$1,200.00	\$1,008.23	\$1,200.00
035291	Tax - County	<u>\$55,377.00</u>	<u>\$55,377.94</u>	<u>\$51,950.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$56,577.00	\$56,386.17	\$53,150.00
035297	Codification	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
035501	N E Municipal Resource Ctr	\$1,000.00	\$2,381.25	\$2,000.00
035511	Property Maps	\$4,355.00	\$0.00	\$7,240.00
035536	Emergency Manager	\$500.00	\$497.41	\$500.00
	CHENEY HILL COMMUNITY CTR			
035541	Electricity	\$1,200.00	\$635.44	\$1,000.00
035542	Heat	\$800.00	\$410.19	\$700.00
035543	Telephone	\$650.00	\$683.08	\$650.00
035544	Maintenance	\$2,500.00	\$1,501.34	\$2,000.00
035545	Miscellaneous	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
035546	New Equipment	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$5,750.00	\$3,230.05	\$4,950.00
035600	Current Expense Note	\$500,000.00	\$0.00	\$500,000.00
035620	Prof Fees-Tax Appeals	\$15,000.00	\$13,300.29	\$10,000.00
035630	Appraisal Update	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15,000.00
035631	Coalition	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,714.00
	TOTAL GENERAL BUDGET	\$1,204,222.00	\$729,964.94	\$1,191,925.00
	Balance Beginning of Year	\$12,155.54	\$12,155.54	(-\$1,094.86)
	Income	\$731,066.46	\$593,818.09	\$747,019.86
	To Be Raised by Taxes	<u>\$461,000.00</u>	<u>\$122,896.45</u>	<u>\$446,000.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$1,204,222.00	\$728,870.08	\$1,191,925.00
	Balance 12/31/98	\$0.00	(-\$1,094.86)	\$0.00

Respectively Submitted  
 RUTLAND TOWN SELECT BOARD  
 Rodney T Gallipo, Chair  
 Richard J DelBianco, Clerk  
 John Paul Faignant  
 William T Matteson  
 Stanley F Rhodes III

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**GENERAL ACCOUNT  
RECEIPTS**

ACCT NO	ITEM	1998 AMOUNT	1999 PROPOSED
	Balance	\$12,155.54	(-\$1,094.86)
034101	Current Property Tax	\$122,896.45	\$446,000.00
034011	Delinquent Property Taxes	\$100,026.54	\$100,000.00
034012	Delinquent Tax Fees	\$8,326.05	\$8,000.00
034013	Delinquent Tax Interest	\$6,583.40	\$2,000.00
034021	Interest - Other Banks	\$30,030.98	\$20,000.00
034030	Building Permits	\$40.00	\$0.00
034031	Dog Licenses	\$3,210.50	\$3,200.00
034032	Marriage Licenses	\$800.00	\$600.00
034033	Hunting/Fishing Licenses	\$3,497.00	\$3,200.00
034040	Transfer Sta Coupons	\$41,049.50	\$35,000.00
034060	1st Class Licenses	\$600.00	\$500.00
034061	2nd Class Licenses	\$420.00	\$450.00
034090	Town Clerk Recording Fees	\$24,493.99	\$20,000.00
034091	Other Fees	\$113.50	\$100.00
034100	Miscellaneous	\$28,188.98	\$500.00
034103	Railroad Tax	\$393.07	\$375.00
034104	Traffic Fines	\$42,230.50	\$35,000.00
034200	Tax Anticipation Note	\$800,000.00	\$0.00
034201	Temp Loan Repayment	\$60,000.00	\$0.00
034203	Land Use	\$3,231.00	\$3,000.00
034204	Current Expense Note	\$0.00	\$500,000.00
034205	Temporary Loan	\$0.00	\$0.00
034206	Ad Valorem	\$187,639.75	\$100,000.00
034209	Bicentennial Books	\$0.00	\$50.00
034210	Church of the Redeemer	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00
034212	Video Tapes	\$0.00	\$0.00
034215	Tax Sale	\$2,732.41	\$0.00
034218	Recyclables	\$404.55	\$200.00
034221	Pilot Program	\$927.00	\$0.00
034222	Sewer Hook-Up Fees	\$35,700.00	\$35,000.00
034223	911 Grant	\$0.00	\$0.00
034224	Records Restoration	\$2,671.00	\$2,000.00
034225	School Treasurer Salary	\$10,296.09	\$10,500.00
034227	Contingency	\$907.50	\$0.00
034229	ReAppraisal Maintenance	\$13,199.00	\$0.00
034230	Motor Vehicle Registration	\$2,299.00	\$2,000.00
		\$1,546,863.30	\$1,328,380.14



## DISBURSEMENTS

	Paid Current Orders		\$729,964.94
035301	Delinquent Tax Collector Fees		\$8,192.74
035302	Vt Fish & Game Licenses		\$3,259.00
035304	Marriage Licenses		\$600.00
035317	City of Rutland - Ad Valorem Tax		\$188,459.60
035320	South End Sewer Note		\$69,320.06
035322	Tax Appeals Refunds:		
	Moore's Auto	\$2,311.24	
	Rutland Regional Shopping Ctr	<u>\$95.83</u>	
			\$2,407.07
035324	Tax Appeals:		
	Allen & Cable		\$760.00
035324	Tax Sales:		
	Richard Lloyd	\$1,401.96	
	William K Bloomer, Esq	\$1,350.00	
	John Hersh	\$366.49	
	Peter Heinson, F.D.	<u>\$285.25</u>	
			\$3,403.70
035333	Tax Refund:		
	Lee Accavallo	\$1,241.17	
	Matthew Bigelow	\$556.32	
	Floren Y Morrison	<u>\$354.62</u>	
			\$2,152.11
035335	North End Sewer:		
	Cooley Construction Co.	\$300,000.00	
	Chittenden Bank	<u>\$41,703.00</u>	
			\$341,703.00
035336	Restoration:		
	Joseph Marolti Co.		\$1,140.00
035337	School Tax (Act 60):		
	VT State Treasurer		\$74,451.87
035401	Rutland Regional Ambulance		\$18,905.00
035402	Rutland Visiting Nurses		\$6,500.00
035403	VT Center for Independent Living		\$485.00
035404	VT Association for the Blind		\$500.00
035405	Rutland County Battered Women		\$500.00
035406	Association for Retarded Citizens		\$800.00
035407	R.S.V.P.		\$670.00
035408	Rutland Area Community Services		\$4,350.00
035412	Rutland Free Library Association		\$71,842.00
035413	Benn/Rut Opp Council		\$975.00
035415	Rutland Economic Dev Corp		\$2,000.00
035421	Southwestern VT Council on Aging		\$1,300.00
035424	Real Estate Property Reappraisal:		
	Vt Appraisal Co	\$58,400.00	
	G & K Associates	\$24,925.00	
	Karen McKirryher	\$1,678.60	
	NEMCR	\$1,400.00	

DISBURSEMENTS (Cont.)		AMOUNT
ACCT NO	ITEM	
035424	Real Estate Property Reappraisal (Cont.):	
	Magee	\$1,117.57
	Computer Sales of Rutland	\$884.50
	I.A.A.O.	\$235.00
	VT State Treasurer	\$135.00
	Staples	\$93.71
	Radio Shack	\$71.98
		<u>\$46.95</u>
		<u>\$88,988.31</u>
		\$1,623,629.40
	Balance 12/31/98	<u>(-\$1,094.86)</u>
		\$1,622,534.54

**GENERAL ACCOUNT  
SUMMARY OF ORDERS  
January 1, 1998 - December 31, 1998**

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035025	Social Security	\$17,956.88
	SALARIES ADMINISTRATIVE:	
035110	Selectpersons'	
	Karen A. Bossi	\$1,454.42
	Richard J DelBianco	\$2,563.58
	John Paul Faignant	\$2,048.67
	Rodney T Gallipo	\$2,610.72
	William T Matteson	\$2,463.09
	Stanley F Rhodes III	<u>\$819.91</u>
		\$11,960.39
035115	Listers:	
	Howard J Burgess	\$23,278.79
	Dean W Davis	\$3,868.73
	George J Livak	<u>\$1,167.95</u>
		\$28,315.47
035120	Auditors:	
	Shelley Hendee	\$669.72
	RoseAnne Krupp	\$297.06
	Joseph A Surething	<u>\$851.52</u>
		\$1,818.30
035125	Town Clerk:	
	Annette Drinwater	\$18,617.34
035130	Town Treasurer:	
	Annette Drinwater	\$17,924.07
035135	Assistant Town Clerk/Treasurer	
	Marie K Hyjek	\$20,939.80
035136	Administrative Assistant	
	Joseph B Zingale Jr	\$38,859.15
035137	Richard J DelBianco Consultant	\$3,176.25
035151	SALARIES MISCELLANEOUS:	
	Justices of the Peace/Ballot Clerk	
	Leigh Adams	\$845.43
	Harold E Billings	\$801.72
	Chester A Brileya	\$308.52
	Richard J DelBianco	\$1,018.85
	Rodney T Gallipo	\$372.75
	Steven Howard	\$9.65
	George J Livak	\$414.60
	Richard J Lloyd	\$19.30
	William T Matteson	\$562.23
	Lori Mesli	\$676.69
	David L Seward	\$588.66
	John J Socinski	<u>\$299.15</u>
		\$5,917.55
035152	Ballot Clerks, BCA, & Miscellaneous:	
	Mary C Ashcroft	\$228.24
	Hilda Fish	\$176.85

## GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035152	Ballot Clerks, BCA, & Miscellaneous (Cont.)	
	Naomi Hendee	\$115.80
	Kevin Mullin	\$42.17
	Stanley Rhodes III	\$303.17
	Larry Williams	<u>\$71.82</u>
		\$938.05
035153	Office Secretary:	
	Jean C Anderson	\$17,756.02
035156	Lister Assistant:	
	Tracy L Kapusta	\$5,229.00
035157	Animal Control:	
	Brian V Abbey	\$442.08
	John D Flory Jr.	<u>\$2,515.77</u>
		\$2,957.85
	SALARIES - CONSTABLES	
035161	First Constable:	
	Brian V Abbey	\$9,888.05
035162	Second Constable:	
	John D Flory Jr.	\$10,285.89
	LAW ENFORCEMENT	
035163	Traffic Enforcement:	
	Rutland County Sheriff Dept.	\$29,677.75
035164	General Law Enforcement:	
	John D Flory Jr.	\$6,521.54
	Brian V Abbey	\$5,492.87
	C.V. Communications	\$396.50
	Bell Atlantic	\$389.69
	Cellular One	\$320.23
	R C Allen Comm	\$185.00
	John Sly	<u>\$113.75</u>
		\$13,419.58
035165	Law Enforcement Mileage:	
	John D Flory Jr.	\$3,372.00
	Brian V Abbey	<u>\$2,590.50</u>
		\$5,962.50
	PRINTING, POSTAGE & SUPPLIES:	
035171	Postage:	
	Center Rutland Postmaster	\$4,029.02
	U S Postal Service	<u>\$2,991.80</u>
		\$7,020.82
035173	Garrow Printing	\$249.00
035174	Town Report:	
	Daamen Printing	\$2,018.03
	Don Blades Photos	<u>\$44.00</u>
		\$2,062.03

## GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035175	General Supplies	
	Magee Greydon Freeman	\$2,646.99
	Trend Business Forms	\$523.47
	Schwaab Inc	\$136.45
	Computer Sales	\$129.00
	Staples	\$97.46
	Foley Distributors	\$56.17
	Walter Drake Inc	\$20.95
	Reprographics	\$10.20
	VT Dept of Health	\$10.00
	Joseph Zingale	\$5.49
	WC Landon Inc	\$5.16
		\$3,641.34
035176	Joseph Marotti Company	\$350.10
035177	Miscellaneous:	
	Reprographics	\$215.12
035178	Constable Supplies:	
	R C Sheriff's Dept	\$250.00
	Giddings Mfg Co	\$197.00
	John Gladding	\$120.00
	Northeast Radio	\$113.50
	Design Graphics	\$69.00
	Gall's Inc	\$50.98
	Garrow Printing	\$30.00
	Brian Abbey	\$20.90
	WC Landon Inc	\$6.38
		\$857.76
035180	Election Supplies:	
	LHS Associates	\$3,412.90
	Owen G Dunn Co	\$1,103.50
		\$4,516.40
035181	Street Lights & Signals:	
	CVPS Corporation	\$14,224.12
	TRANSFER STATION:	
035190	Utilities:	
	CVPS Corp	\$1,185.18
	Bell Atlantic	\$657.31
	City of Rutland	\$49.32
		\$1,891.81
035192	Engineering:	
	Dufresne - Henry Inc	\$7,734.15
035193	Miscellaneous Costs:	
	Anthony J Flory	\$1,776.00
	Vermont Art Studio	\$300.00
	Garrow Printing	\$236.00
	Cooper Fence Co	\$230.00
	Rutland Herald	\$222.25
	Misty Meadows	\$208.20
	George J Livak	\$166.50
	W C Landon Inc	\$57.14
		\$3,196.09

## GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035194	Hazardous Waste Removal:	
	JMSC/SWAC	\$1,598.67
035195	Snow Removal:	
	Anthony J Flory	\$1,071.00
035196	Waste Removal:	
	Hubbard Brothers Inc	\$35,316.54
035198	Transfer Station Attendants:	
	Anthony J Flory	\$7,305.72
	Wilfred C Shackett Jr	\$5,465.79
	Walter Tripp	<u>\$158.49</u>
		\$12,930.00
035199	Recycling:	
	Rutland County Solid Waste Dist	\$6,111.59
	Hubbard Brothers	\$3,675.00
	Total Waste Mgmt.	<u>\$24.00</u>
		\$9,810.59
035200	R.C.J. M.S.C.	
	Rutland County Joint Municipal S.C.	\$5,223.26
	MUNICIPAL OFFICE BUILDING	
035201	Electricity:	
	C V P S Corporation	\$2,183.75
035202	Heat:	
	Johnson Energy Inc	\$1,914.26
035203	Telephone:	
	Bell Atlantic	\$3,777.19
	AT & T	\$894.01
	Lucent Tech	\$427.80
	Rodney T Gallipo	\$17.98
	Richard J DelBianco	<u>\$11.96</u>
		\$5,128.94
035205	Maintenance Supplies:	
	Superior Lamp Supplies	\$226.45
	Foley Distributing	\$107.78
	Robert Pinney	\$106.94
	Computer Sales	\$52.50
	CITGO Petroleum	\$43.66
	WC Landon Inc	\$39.49
	Hubbard Brothers	\$32.50
	Mintzer Brothers	\$25.63
	Howard J Burgess	<u>\$10.92</u>
		\$645.87
035206	Maintenance Services:	
	Janitor Express	\$3,640.00
	Tony Flory	\$2,160.00
	Doran Roofing	\$1,500.00
	Howard W Stratton	\$461.60
	Hubbard Brothers	\$412.50
	Robert Pinney	\$202.18
	American Locksmith	\$200.00
	Advanced Answering	\$192.00



## GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035206	Maintenance Services (Cont.)	
	Howard's Fire Control	<u>\$183.50</u>
		\$8,951.78
035211	Attorney's:	
	Langrock, Sperry & Wool	\$54,950.70
	Burak & Anderson	\$6,997.12
	Paul Roche & Co	\$445.00
	John Hansen	<u>\$390.00</u>
		\$62,782.82
035216	Municipal Retirement:	
	Treasurer-State of Vermont	\$6,135.79
035221	MILEAGE:	
	Town Clerk & Treasurer	
	Annette Drinwater	\$216.30
035222	Select Board:	
	Rodney Gallipo	\$13.80
035223	Listers:	
	Howard J Burgess	\$206.70
	Dean Davis	<u>\$64.50</u>
		\$271.20
035224	Justices of the Peace:	
	George Livak	\$4.80
035225	Constables	
	John D. Flory Jr	\$3,744.00
	Brian V Abbey	<u>\$3,600.00</u>
		\$7,344.00
035226	Others:	
	John D. Flory Jr	\$183.90
	Marie K Hyjek	\$43.50
	Charles Brothers	\$42.00
	Stanley Rhodes III	\$35.40
	Howard J Burgess	\$29.10
	Larry Williams	<u>\$9.00</u>
		\$342.90
035227	Administrative Assistant:	\$445.86
035228	Animal Control:	
	John D Flory Jr	\$543.90
	Brian V Abbey	<u>\$175.20</u>
		\$719.10
	INSURANCE	
035231	General:	
	VLCT - PACIF	\$29,698.37
	VLCT Unemployment Trust	\$1,113.00
	Kinney Pike Bell & Conner	<u>\$942.00</u>
		\$31,753.37
035232	Health:	
	Blue Cross/Blue Shield of VT	\$19,558.80
	Northeast Delta	\$1,091.73
	Jean C Anderson	<u>\$525.35</u>
		\$21,175.88

GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)			AMOUNT
ACC'T NO	ITEM		
	EQUIPMENT-NEW & REPAIRS		
035241	New:		
	Assoc/Computer Tech	\$2,912.95	
	Computer Sales	\$1,901.25	
	John Manney	\$245.00	
	Magee	<u>\$169.80</u>	
			\$5,229.00
035249	Repairs:		
	IKON Office	\$1,501.00	
	Sovernet	\$228.00	
	AM Power Conversion	\$130.20	
	Green Mtn Typewriter	\$92.50	
	Assoc/Computer Tech	\$70.00	
	Business Equip Ctr	<u>\$26.00</u>	
			\$2,047.70
035251	Advertising:		
	Rutland Herald		\$2,211.82
	TOWN PLANNING & ZONING:		
035261	Legal Services:		
	John D Hansen Esq		\$150.00
035262	Regional Commission:		
	Rutland Regional Planning Commission		\$500.00
035263	Planning Commission & Regional		
	Anthony Belock	\$1,008.07	
	J Barry Burke	\$608.40	
	William C Corey	\$561.60	
	Robert Dombro	\$538.20	
	George J Livak	\$538.20	
	Richard E Hoenes Sr	\$491.40	
	Charles Brothers	\$442.74	
	Christopher Oakman	\$421.20	
	Frederick Nicholson (Regional)	\$186.19	
	Mary C Ashcroft	\$93.60	
	Marsha Chioffi	<u>\$70.20</u>	
			\$4,959.80
035264	Miscellaneous:		
	Lexis Law Publ.	\$87.24	
	Reprographics South	\$66.12	
	Initial Ideas	\$45.75	
	Quickprint	\$10.00	
	Mail Boxes	<u>\$7.35</u>	
			\$216.46
035265	Advertising:		
	Rutland Herald		\$1,966.76
035267	Consulting Fees:		
	Rutland Regional Planning Commission		\$6,734.47
035271	Interest:		
	First Vermont Bank	\$45,333.16	
	Chittenden Bank	<u>\$29,696.87</u>	
			\$75,030.03

## GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035272	V L C T	
	Vermont League of Cities & Towns	\$2,210.00
035273	Consultant - By Pass:	
	Jeffrey M Zupan	\$3,830.35
035275	Miscellaneous Expenses:	
	Vt Coalition of Municipalities	\$1,626.00
	Rutland Chamber of Commerce	\$792.00
	Vt State Treasurer	\$729.00
	VLCT	\$645.00
	Rutland County Humane Society	\$483.99
	Property Valuation	\$120.00
	First Vermont Bank	\$113.50
	Reprographics	\$102.60
	RAVNA	\$100.00
	Clarendon Animal Clinic	\$100.00
	Internet Professionals	\$99.00
	Vt Institute of Gov	\$92.00
	VTCMA	\$90.00
	RMG Stone Products	\$85.00
	Greenmount Specialty	\$79.82
	Rutland Vet Clinic	\$78.00
	University of Vermont	\$56.00
	Child First Advocacy	\$50.00
	Richard Lloyd	\$50.00
	RRMC Auxilliary	\$50.00
	Royals 121	\$50.00
	Rutland National Resources	\$50.00
	Trend Business Forms	\$39.21
	William Matteson	\$37.75
	The National Survey	\$30.85
	N.E. Assn City & Towns	\$30.00
	GMWEA	\$30.00
	Town of Rutland	\$28.85
	Park Place	\$25.00
	VMCTA	\$20.00
	Gordon Holden	\$20.00
	Fred Fredette	\$20.00
	Price Chopper	\$19.99
	VT Bar Association	\$17.50
	VT Assessors	\$15.00
	VT Flower Exchange	\$14.67
	CVS	\$10.27
	Vermont Correctional Industries	\$4.49
		\$6,005.49
035277	Contingency:	
	RF Lunna Assoc	\$8,147.20
	Peter Chase	\$1,705.00
	Reprographics	\$907.50

## GENERAL ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
035277	Contingency (Cont.):	
	Howard J Burgess	\$602.73
	Tarrant, Marks & Gills	\$332.50
	Rutland Herald	\$52.36
	Joseph Zingale	\$43.50
		\$11,790.79
035278	Computer Services:	
	Computerized Business Serv	\$3,181.30
	AM Plesch Co	\$38.00
		\$3,219.30
035279	Fourth of July Celebration:	
	Pyrotechnics	\$4,000.00
	TAXES:	
035285	Town of West Rutland	\$1,008.23
035291	Treasurer-County of Rutland	\$55,377.94
035501	New England Municipal Resource Center	\$2,381.25
035536	Emergency Manager:	
	John D Flory	\$422.41
	Otter Valley Supply	\$75.00
		\$497.41
	CHENEY HILL COMMUNITY CENTER:	
035541	Electricity:	
	CVPS Corp	\$635.44
035542	Heat:	
	Johnson Energy	\$410.19
035543	Telephone:	
	Bell Atlantic	\$605.03
	AT & T	\$78.05
		\$683.08
035544	Maintenance:	
	Janitor Express	\$910.00
	Larry Williams	\$415.00
	Howard Stratton	\$135.00
	Johnson Energy	\$41.34
		\$1,501.34
035620	Professional Fees:	
	Langrock Sperry & Wool	\$12,729.59
	Reiber & Kenlan	\$570.70
		\$13,300.29
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$729,964.94
	TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$728,870.08
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$729,964.94
	Balance 12/31/98	(-\$1,094.86)

**RUTLAND TOWN  
HIGHWAY BUDGET - 1999**

ACCT NO	ITEM	BUDGET	ACTUAL	PROPOSED
		1998	EXPEND 1998	BUDGET 1999
	Winter Maintenance:			
045011	Labor	\$15,500.00	\$14,225.26	\$15,500.00
045012	Salt	\$125,000.00	\$92,698.92	\$110,000.00
045013	Equipment	\$80,000.00	\$68,513.68	\$75,000.00
045014	Utilities	\$1,000.00	\$1,059.82	\$1,200.00
045015	Maintenance	\$1,000.00	\$901.66	\$1,000.00
045016	Supplies	\$12,000.00	\$10,749.32	\$12,000.00
045017	Town Truck	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	<u>\$523.12</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$235,500.00	\$188,671.78	\$215,700.00
	General Maintenance:			
045021	Equipment	\$60,000.00	\$61,328.36	\$60,000.00
045022	Hot Mix/Cold Patch	\$9,000.00	\$8,633.08	\$9,000.00
045023	Maintenance	\$1,000.00	\$534.35	\$1,000.00
045024	Utilities	\$1,000.00	\$1,210.01	\$1,500.00
045025	Supplies	\$20,000.00	\$22,715.54	\$21,000.00
045026	Labor	\$40,500.00	\$39,140.28	\$42,000.00
045027	Maintenance-Equipment	\$6,000.00	\$5,701.72	\$12,000.00
045028	Sanitary Facilities	\$1,020.00	\$1,105.00	\$935.00
045030	Town Truck	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,160.51</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$139,520.00	\$141,528.85	\$149,435.00
045041	Retreatment	\$133,000.00	\$163,020.42	\$100,000.00
045051	Social Security	\$4,300.00	\$4,082.45	\$4,400.00
045061	Insurance	\$10,900.00	\$10,734.00	\$11,100.00
045071	New Equipment	\$6,000.00	\$6,261.99	\$5,000.00
045081	Contingency	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
045091	Municipal Retirement	<u>\$1,175.00</u>	<u>\$1,151.61</u>	<u>\$1,210.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL HIGHWAY BUDGET</b>	\$531,395.00	\$515,451.10	\$487,845.00
	Balance Beginning of Year	(-\$38597.77)	(-\$38597.77)	\$69,365.09
	Income	\$91,992.77	\$145,413.96	\$92,479.91
	To Be Raised by Taxes	<u>\$478,000.00</u>	<u>\$478,000.00</u>	<u>\$326,000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$531,395.00	\$584,816.19	\$487,845.00
	Balance 12/31/98	\$0.00	\$69,365.09	\$0.00

Marshall B Fish

ROAD COMMISSIONER

Respectfully Submitted

RUTLAND TOWN SELECT BOARD

Rodney T Gallipo, Chair

Richard J DeBianco, Clerk

John Paul Faignant

William T Matteson

Stanley F Rhodes III

# HIGHWAY ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	Balance from 1997	(-\$38597.77)
044010	Property Taxes	\$478,000.00
044020	State of VT Aid	\$91,927.07
044200	Sale of Equipment	\$1,200.00
044202	Miscellaneous	\$7,097.75
044203	Revenue Sharing Acc't	\$30,189.14
044204	City of Rutland	\$15,000.00
		\$584,816.19

## SUMMARY OF ORDERS January 1, 1998 - December 31, 1998

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	Winter Maintenance:	
045011	Labor:	
	Marshall B Fish	\$6,790.40
	George Livak	\$222.72
	Donald Mailhiout	\$472.32
	Walter Tripp	\$6,739.82
		\$14,225.26
045012	Salt:	
	Cargill Salt Eastern	\$89,421.35
	JP Carrara & Sons	\$2,180.07
	American Rock Salt Co	\$1,097.50
		\$92,698.92
045013	Equipment:	
	Quirk Brothers Excavating	\$19,103.90
	Anthony J Flory	\$11,041.00
	Richard McKirryher Excavating	\$8,513.38
	Ronald McKirryher Excavating	\$7,623.40
	Hubbard Brothers Inc	\$6,580.00
	Byron R Hathaway	\$5,474.00
	Town of Mendon	\$2,277.00
	Vaillancourt Tree	\$2,141.00
	Furnace Brook Enterprises	\$1,599.00
	Marshall B Fish	\$1,146.00
	Hemenway Excavating	\$1,140.00
	Timothy Perry	\$746.00
	Thomas Grace	\$640.00
	Aron Adamsen	\$400.00
	Walter Tripp	\$59.00
	John Flory	\$30.00
		\$68,513.68
045014	Utilities:	
	CVPS Corp	\$597.47
	Cellular One	\$236.23
	Bell Atlantic	\$201.64
	AT & T	\$24.48
		\$1,059.82
045015	Maintenance:	
	Center Rutland Welding	\$770.00
	Green Mtn Barricade	\$120.00

## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT SUMMARY (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
045015	Maintenance (Cont.):	
	W C Landon Inc	\$6.69
	Allied Auto Parts	<u>\$4.97</u>
		\$901.66
045016	Supplies:	
	J P Carrara & Sons	\$5,712.27
	Rowe Sand & Gravel	\$2,548.25
	Giddings Mfg Co Inc	\$1,238.54
	RAK Industries	\$693.49
	Rotella Inc	\$199.99
	Reynolds & Son	\$169.27
	WC Landon Inc	\$112.51
	Center Rutland Welding	<u>\$75.00</u>
		\$10,749.32
045017	Town Truck:	
	Bond Auto Parts	\$226.85
	Proctor Coal Co	\$132.63
	Discount Fuels	\$59.06
	Charlesboise Inc.	\$52.54
	WC Landon Inc	<u>\$52.04</u>
		\$523.12
	GENERAL MAINTENANCE:	
045021	Ronald McKirryher Excavating	\$15,404.20
	Anthony J Flory	\$11,080.00
	Marshall B Fish	\$10,071.00
	Richard McKirryher	\$8,880.00
	George J Livak	\$4,507.00
	Mountain Top Paving	\$3,840.00
	Hemenway Excavating	\$2,141.00
	Byron R Hathaway	\$1,120.00
	We Grade Roads	\$1,040.00
	Furnace Brook Enterprises	\$756.00
	Ernest McKirryher	\$660.00
	Timothy Perry	\$602.00
	Hubbard Brothers Inc	\$387.96
	Walter Tripp	\$385.00
	Vallancourt Tree Service	\$298.20
	Dan Hendee	\$96.00
	Aaron Adamsem	<u>\$60.00</u>
		\$61,268.36
045022	Hot Mix/Cold Mix:	
	Pike Industries	\$8,633.08
045023	Maintenance:	
	Green Mtn Barricade	\$240.00
	Center Rutland Welding	\$110.00
	Otter Valley Supply	\$79.95
	Pittsford Small Engine Repair	\$47.50
	Charlesboise Inc.	\$35.00
	Rotella Inc	<u>\$21.90</u>
		\$534.35



## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
045024	Utilities:	
	Bell Atlantic	\$432.88
	Cellular One	\$379.36
	CVPS Corp	\$356.09
	AT & T	<u>\$41.68</u>
		\$1,210.01
045025	Supplies:	
	Troy Minerals	\$5,743.00
	J P Carrara & Sons	\$5,229.55
	Giddings Mfg Co	\$4,574.38
	R A K Industries	\$3,385.55
	Red Hed Supply	\$1,069.19
	Highway Steel	\$998.80
	W C Landon Inc	\$270.27
	Rowe Sand & Gravel	\$266.00
	Cooper Fence Co	\$230.00
	Center Rutland Welding	\$200.00
	Vt Correctional Ind	\$196.38
	Tony Flory	\$168.00
	Otter Valley Supply	\$115.80
	Ernest McKirryher	\$85.50
	Wood's Screw Corp	\$77.02
	Rotella	\$39.99
	Bond Auto Parts	\$31.49
	Pittsford Small Engine	\$24.00
	Marshall Fish	\$7.14
	Charlebois	<u>\$3.48</u>
		\$22,715.54
045026	Labor:	
	Marshall B Fish	\$15,566.40
	George J Livak	\$6,034.28
	Donald Mailhot	\$338.80
	Steven R Swan	\$3,376.80
	Walter Tripp	<u>\$13,824.00</u>
		\$39,140.28
045027	Maintenance - Loader/Sweeper:	
	Hill - Martin Corp	\$2,670.93
	Torrey Tire Sales	\$958.56
	Center Rutland Welding	\$555.00
	Bond Auto Parts	\$549.29
	Anthony Flory	\$198.00
	Discount Fuels of Rutland	\$283.31
	George J Livak	\$195.00
	Echo Industrial Products	\$128.78
	R R Charlebois	\$119.85
	B & B	<u>\$43.00</u>
		\$5,701.72
045028	Sanitary Facilities:	
	Hubbard Brothers Inc	\$1,105.00

## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
045030	Town Truck:	
	Hendee's Garage	\$542.00
	Torrey Sales	\$208.60
	Proctor Coal Co	\$156.83
	Rosen & Berger	\$115.00
	Charlebois	\$56.39
	Bond Auto Parts	\$39.47
	Reynolds & Son	\$31.36
	W C Landon Inc	<u>\$10.86</u>
		\$1,160.51
045041	Retreatment:	
	Wilk Paving Inc	\$159,491.16
	Mountain Top Paving	\$3,346.00
	Rutland Herald	<u>\$183.26</u>
		\$163,020.42
045051	Social Security	
045061	Insurance:	
	Blue Cross/Blue Shield	\$9,301.80
	Northeast Delta	\$906.60
	Marshall B Fish	<u>\$525.60</u>
		\$10,734.00
045071	New Equipment:	
	Hill-Martin Corp	\$6,000.00
	Pittsford Small Engine	<u>\$261.99</u>
		\$6,261.99
045091	Municipal Retirement:	
	VT Municipal Employees' Retirement System	\$1,151.61
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$515,451.10
	TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$584,816.19
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	<u>\$515,451.10</u>
	Balance 12/31/98	\$69,365.09



**TOWN ROAD COMMISSIONER**  
Marshall B Fish

**TOWN OF RUTLAND SELECT BOARD ROAD OBSTRUCTION ORDINANCE**

No person, whether as landowner, lessee, agent, employee or volunteer, shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, material of any kind within the Town highway right-of-way, or obstruct a ditch, culvert or drainage course without a written permit from the Select Board, in accordance with Title 19 S 303 of V.S.A.

Material for the purpose of this ordinance shall include, but not limited to: logs, snow, ice, rocks or dirt, which have been pushed, plowed or deposited by any means within a highway right-of-way.

Any person who violates the provisions of this ordinance shall pay a fine of not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) or more than Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) for each violation, together with the cost of prosecution, including service fees, Court costs and attorney fees. Each day during which such violation exist shall be a separate offense for the purpose of this ordinance.

The provision of this ordinance are in addition to, and not substitution of any other rights and remedies, criminal or civil, which the Select Board may have.

Adopted at a duly warned meeting of the Rutland Town Select Board dated this 28th day of October 1996.

Rodney Gallipo, Chairman  
Richard J DelBianco, Clerk  
John Paul Faignant  
William T Matteson  
Stanley F Rhodes III

**RUTLAND TOWN**  
**FIRE DEPARTMENT BUDGET -1999**  
**BUDGET ACTUAL**  
**EXPEND**  
**1998 1998**

**PROPOSED**  
**BUDGET**  
**1999**

ACCT NO	ITEM	BUDGET	EXPEND	BUDGET
	PRINTING, POSTAGE, & SUPPLIES:			
055011	Center Rutland Post Office	\$32.00	\$0.00	\$33.00
055012	Fire Chief	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$50.00
055013	Secretary	\$25.00	\$42.37	\$50.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$107.00	\$42.37	\$133.00
	Gas & Oil:			
055024	Others	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
	Proctor Coal Co	\$1,000.00	\$639.20	\$800.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$1,100.00	\$639.20	\$900.00
	Utilities:			
055031	Electricity	\$3,600.00	\$3,167.45	\$3,600.00
055032	Telephone	\$4,000.00	\$3,821.37	\$3,800.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$7,600.00	\$6,988.82	\$7,400.00
	Fuel Oil:			
055043	Agway	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
	Johnson Energy	\$3,500.00	\$2,635.39	\$3,000.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$4,000.00	\$2,635.39	\$3,500.00
055051	Dispatch Services	\$1,000.00	\$600.00	\$1,000.00
055061	Insurance	\$2,400.00	\$2,254.00	\$2,400.00
055081	New Equipment	\$20,000.00	\$19,120.61	\$25,000.00
055091	Salaries	\$25,000.00	\$24,897.62	\$25,000.00
055101	Social Security	\$2,000.00	\$1,914.57	\$2,000.00
055111	Maintenance - Equipment	\$8,000.00	\$8,332.52	\$8,500.00
055121	Maintenance - Building	\$10,000.00	\$7,175.34	\$10,000.00
055131	Training	\$2,500.00	\$1,931.44	\$4,500.00
055132	Fire Prevention Programs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
055141	Miscellaneous	\$1,000.00	\$1,266.92	\$1,000.00
055151	Contingency	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
055171	Uniforms	\$400.00	\$722.90	\$100.00
055181	Medical Physicals	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$3,750.00
	<b>TOTAL FIRE BUDGET</b>	\$86,607.00	\$78,521.70	\$96,683.00
	Balance Beginning of Year	\$22,316.42	\$22,316.42	\$7,494.72
	Income	\$590.58	\$0.00	\$188.28
	To Be Raised by Taxes	\$63,700.00	\$63,700.00	\$89,000.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$86,607.00	\$86,016.42	\$96,683.00
	Balance 12/31/98	\$0.00	\$7,494.72	\$0.00

Tim Perry  
 FIRE CHIEF

Respectively Submitted  
 RUTLAND TOWN SELECT BOARD  
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# FIRE ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	Balance from 1997	\$22,316.42
054001	Property Taxes	<u>\$63,700.00</u>
		\$86,016.42

## SUMMARY OF ORDERS January 1, 1998 - December 31, 1998

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	PRINTING, POSTAGE & SUPPLIES:	
055012	Russell Goodrich	\$42.37
	GAS & OIL:	
055026	Proctor Coal Co	\$639.20
055031	UTILITIES:	
	Electricity:	
	CVPS	\$3,167.45
055032	Telephone:	
	Bell Atlantic	\$2,879.32
	Cellular One	\$556.02
	AT & T	<u>\$386.03</u>
		\$3,821.37
055047	Fuel Oil:	
	Johnson Energy	\$2,635.39
055051	Answering Service:	
	Rutland County Mutual Aid	\$600.00
055061	Insurance:	
	Underwriters Inc	\$2,254.00
055081	New Equipment:	
	Reynolds & Son	\$14,659.30
	NE Mountain Radio	\$1,180.00
	Dingee Machine	\$1,121.16
	Code 3 Products	\$774.75
	F W Webb Co	\$360.00
	Giddings Mfg Co	\$330.00
	Golden Rule Creations	\$230.00
	Tim Perry	\$136.00
	Staples	\$88.98
	Moore Media Corp	\$86.45
	Robert Schlacter	\$83.98
	W C Landon Inc	<u>\$69.99</u>
		\$19,120.61
055091	Salaries:	
	Brian V Abbey	\$544.83
	Aron Adamsen	\$1,023.62
	Charles Bizzaro	\$118.11
	Michael Bruce	\$13.97
	Chris Clark	\$176.53

## FIRE ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
055091	Salaries (Cont.):	
	Timothy Clark	\$278.13
	Edwin Clough	\$958.85
	Robert Coolidge	\$378.46
	Joseph Denardo	\$1,031.24
	Nicholas Denardo	\$646.43
	Bruce Egan	\$849.63
	John Paul Faignant	\$303.53
	John D Flory Jr	\$595.63
	Anthony J Flory	\$119.38
	Rodney T Gallipo Jr	\$81.28
	Rodney T Gallipo	\$270.51
	Richard N Goodrich	\$814.07
	Russell Goodrich	\$1,436.98
	Michael Gould	\$1,071.88
	Byron R Hathaway	\$55.88
	Steve Hawley	\$529.59
	Christopher Johnson	\$999.49
	Todd Kellogg	\$300.99
	Robert LaRose	\$106.68
	Daniel McCarthy	\$721.36
	Raymond McCarthy	\$953.77
	Dean R McKirryher	\$19.05
	Richard McKirryher	\$189.23
	Ronald McKirryher	\$64.77
	Timothy Perry	\$2,252.98
	Adam Pockette	\$50.00
	Steve Pulling	\$676.91
	Stanley F Rhodes III	\$806.45
	David Ricard	\$270.51
	Craig Robideau	\$942.34
	Louis Rousseau	\$72.39
	Robert Schlachter Jr	\$694.69
	John R Sly	\$524.51
	Alyson Stein	\$12.70
	Melvin Stein	\$273.05
	William Sweet	\$233.68
	Thomas Tumielewicz	\$570.23
	David Waterhouse Jr	\$955.04
	Paul S Williams	\$791.21
	Clifford W Young	<u>\$1,117.06</u>
		\$24,897.62

## FIRE ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
055101	Social Security:	\$1,914.57
055111	Maintenance - Equipment:	
	Dingee Machine	\$2,324.30
	Earle's Truck Repair	\$2,052.83
	Northeast Mountain Radio	\$1,513.92
	GVC Chemical Corp	\$861.64
	Howard's Fire Control	\$249.50
	Seward's Sales & Service	\$235.21
	Chief Supply	\$175.76
	Allied Auto Parts	\$159.63
	Duane Carrara	\$141.00
	R C Allen Communications	\$130.00
	Al Melanson	\$139.00
	Bond Auto Parts	\$114.49
	R R Charlebois	\$88.62
	Aron Adamsen	\$80.00
	WC Landon Inc	\$26.92
	Mac Steel	\$24.00
	NAPA Auto Parts	\$13.90
	Reynolds & Son	<u>\$1.80</u>
		\$8,332.52
055121	Maintenance - Building	
	Countryside Glass	\$3,619.50
	Densmore Electric Co	\$641.77
	Mintzer Brothers	\$561.42
	Aron Adamsen	\$485.50
	Overhead Doors	\$363.45
	Christopher Johnson	\$340.00
	Peter Kirk's Paint	\$305.96
	VT Plumbing & Heating	\$301.00
	Misty Meadows Spring Water	\$226.99
	Stanley F Rhodes III	\$157.50
	WC Landon Inc	\$65.14
	Turner Plb & Htg	\$50.00
	Mel Stein	\$26.16
	Tim Perry	\$16.76
	FW Webb	<u>\$14.19</u>
		\$7,175.34
055131	Training:	
	Rutland County Fire Fighters Assoc.	\$1,374.00
	Showcase Appliance	\$187.95
	VT Fire Service	\$170.00
	Shelburne Volunteer Fire	\$150.00
	Richard Goodrich	\$29.99
	Craig Robideau	<u>\$19.50</u>
		\$1,931.44

## FIRE ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
055141	Miscellaneous:	
	Foremost Fire Prom.	\$576.41
	VT State Firemen's Assoc	\$292.50
	Rutland County Firefighters Assn	\$120.00
	Robert Schlacter	\$95.01
	Rutland Herald	\$91.63
	Russell Goodrich	\$71.37
	Ctr Rutland Postmaster	<u>\$20.00</u>
		\$1,266.92
055171	Uniforms:	
	Code 3 Products	\$722.90
	<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	\$78,521.10
	<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	\$86,016.42
	<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<u>\$78,521.70</u>
	<b>Balance 12/31/98</b>	\$7,494.72



**RUTLAND TOWN  
RECREATION BUDGET**

-1999

<b>ACCT NO</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>BUDGET 1998</b>	<b>ACTUAL EXPEND 1998</b>	<b>PROPOSED BUDGET 1999</b>
	<b>Employees:</b>			
065011	Summer Director	\$4,800.00	\$3,417.73	\$4,800.00
065012	Program Director	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
065013	Life Guards	\$20,000.00	\$16,273.53	\$20,000.00
065014	Maintenance	\$7,500.00	\$7,809.85	\$7,500.00
065015	Ticket Taker & Snack Bar	\$4,500.00	\$4,982.77	\$4,500.00
065016	Umpires & Referees	\$4,500.00	\$4,410.00	\$5,500.00
065017	Tennis Instructor	\$1,600.00	\$361.23	\$1,600.00
065029	Social Security	\$3,400.00	\$2,865.14	\$3,400.00
065030	Commission Members	\$7,000.00	\$4,143.43	\$7,000.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$54,300.00	\$44,263.68	\$55,300.00
065031	Athletic Equipment	\$8,500.00	\$9,569.80	\$8,500.00
	<b>UTILITIES:</b>			
065041	Electricity	\$3,500.00	\$2,948.45	\$3,500.00
065042	Telephone	\$1,200.00	\$1,231.51	\$1,300.00
065043	Water	\$500.00	\$282.93	\$500.00
065044	Sewer	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$5,200.00	\$4,462.89	\$5,300.00
	<b>MAINTENANCE:</b>			
065051	Chemicals	\$3,000.00	\$2,303.34	\$3,000.00
065052	Supplies - Maintenance	\$3,000.00	\$4,828.67	\$3,500.00
065053	Supplies - Miscellaneous	\$1,000.00	\$1,182.08	\$1,000.00
065054	Plumbing - Northwood	\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$2,000.00
065055	Gas - Oil	\$800.00	\$741.23	\$800.00
065056	Plumbing - Dewey Field	\$250.00	\$0.00	\$250.00
065057	Miscellaneous	\$3,000.00	\$1,451.99	\$1,500.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$13,050.00	\$10,507.31	\$12,050.00
065061	Miscellaneous	\$1,500.00	\$801.16	\$1,000.00
065071	Social Activities	\$1,500.00	\$1,072.87	\$1,200.00
065081	Memberships	\$850.00	\$809.00	\$1,500.00
065091	Capital Expenses	\$10,000.00	\$9,691.45	\$10,000.00
	<b>OFFICE EXPENSES:</b>			
065101	Printing	\$50.00	\$226.00	\$50.00
065102	Office Expenses	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$50.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$100.00	\$226.00	\$100.00
	<b>LEGAL NOTICES &amp; ADVERTISING</b>			
065111	Rutland Herald	\$900.00	\$576.30	\$700.00
065112	Center Rutland Postmaster	\$32.00	\$0.00	\$33.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$932.00	\$576.30	\$733.00
	<b>CONCESSION STAND:</b>			
065121	Food	\$4,200.00	\$3,832.40	\$4,000.00
065122	Equipment	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
065123	Repairs	\$200.00	\$52.00	\$200.00
		\$4,500.00	\$3,884.40	\$4,300.00

**RUTLAND TOWN  
RECREATION BUDGET**

-1999

ACCT NO	ITEM	BUDGET	ACTUAL	PROPOSED
		1998	BUDGET 1998	BUDGET 1999 AMOUNT
	<b>TOTAL RECREATION BUDGET</b>	\$100,432.00	\$85,864.86	\$99,983.00
	Balance Beginning of Year	\$21,476.69	\$21,476.69	\$18,148.48
	Income	\$28,355.31	\$31,836.65	\$31,034.52
	To Be Raised by Taxes	\$50,700.00	\$50,700.00	\$50,800.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$100,532.00	\$104,013.34	\$99,983.00
	Balance 12/31/98	\$100.00	\$18,148.48	\$0.00

## RECREATION COMMISSION

Ernest M Cioffi

Larry Dellveneri

Edward Dumas

Samuel Fucile, Chair

Steven Hawley

Shelley Hendee

James Shortle

Respectively Submitted

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**RECREATION ACCOUNT  
RECEIPTS**

ACCT NO	ITEM		1998	1999	
			ACTUAL AMOUNT	PROPOSED AMOUNT	
	Balance	(1997)	\$21,476.69	\$18,148.48	(1998)
064010	Property Taxes		\$50,700.00	\$50,800.00	
064021	Swim Passes & Lessons		\$8,710.00	\$9,000.00	
064031	Swim Daily Fees		\$6,070.45	\$5,000.00	
064041	Baseball		\$3,945.00	\$4,000.00	
064051	Tennis Lights		\$11.00	\$100.00	
064081	Concession Stand		\$5,810.20	\$6,000.00	
064091	Miscellaneous		\$807.00	\$184.52	
064200	Sponsors		\$125.00	\$250.00	
064201	Soccer		\$4,338.00	\$4,000.00	
064202	Basketball		\$1,840.00	\$2,000.00	
064203	Tennis Fees		\$180.00	\$500.00	
			\$104,013.34	\$99,983.00	

**RECREATION ACCOUNT  
SUMMARY OF ORDERS  
January 31, 1998 - December 1998**

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
	<b>EMPLOYEES:</b>	
065011	Summer Director: Peter Wallett	\$3,417.73
065013	Life Guards: Adrienne Cioffi	\$2,288.00
	Kristen Cioffi	\$713.36
	Kevin Clark	\$53.28

## RECREATION SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
065013	Life Guards (Cont.):	
	Hilary L Fox	\$1,152.27
	Andrea K Hersh	\$1,715.99
	Brian Keenan	\$2,237.82
	Marie McDonough	\$1,802.97
	Lindsay Paradis	\$1,541.92
	Kristen Nugent	\$1,777.88
	Heather Rizk	\$2,504.60
	Sarah Rizk	<u>\$485.44</u>
		\$16,273.53
065014	Maintenance:	
	Jason R Allen	\$2,538.86
	Ernest Cioffi	\$600.00
	Edward Dalto	\$2,715.35
	Lawrence Dellveneri	\$600.00
	Sam Fucile Jr	<u>\$1,355.64</u>
		\$7,809.85
065015	Ticket Taker & Snack Bar:	
	Jennifer Bossi	\$1,739.40
	Kaitlin Cioffi	\$787.95
	Kathleen French	\$950.16
	Heather Stevens	<u>\$1,505.26</u>
		\$4,982.77
065016	Umpires/Referees:	
	Jobin Fineburg	\$545.00
	Shawn Irish	\$370.00
	Chris Cosgrove	\$310.00
	Sam Fucile Jr	\$280.00
	Kyle Wilson	\$270.00
	Kevin Clark	\$210.00
	Chris Nasveschuk	\$205.00
	Seth Wilson	\$185.00
	Keith Lazarczyk	\$150.00
	Lindsay Paradis	\$135.00
	Jason Irish	\$130.00
	Sam Fucile	\$120.00
	Aaron Rissler	\$120.00
	Colin Fingon	\$120.00
	Danny Godabout	\$120.00
	Matt McKane	\$105.00
	Ken Donahue	\$90.00
	Frank Parisi	\$80.00
	Jim Lane	\$75.00
	Pat McKane	\$75.00
	Tracy Clark	\$60.00
	Jay Wilson	\$60.00
	Tray Schaft	\$55.00
	Maurice Fredette	\$45.00
	Mike Paul	\$40.00
	Jeff Colomb	\$37.50

## RECREATION SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
065016	Umpires/Referees (Cont.)	
	Jenny Everett	\$30.00
	Jason Hall	\$30.00
	Ian McCormack	\$30.00
	Neil Jordan	\$30.00
	Tom Garafano	\$30.00
	Malisa McKee	\$25.00
	Nelson Gee	\$22.50
	Trevor Shaft	\$20.00
	Corey Ballou	\$20.00
	Michael Kavouksorian	\$15.00
	Randy Dewey	\$15.00
	Robbie Garafano	\$15.00
	Lincoln Porter	\$15.00
	Chadd Andrews	\$15.00
	C J Anderson	\$15.00
	Ethan Townsend	\$15.00
	Evan Hurley	\$15.00
	Jason Allen	\$15.00
	Jeff Ladabouche	\$15.00
	Jerome Handley	\$15.00
	Jude Johnson	\$15.00
		\$4,410.00
065017	Tennis Instructors:	
	Kara Weir	\$361.23
065029	Social Security	\$2,865.14
065030	Commission Members:	
	Ernest Cioffi	\$1,000.00
	Lawrence DellVeneri	\$1,000.00
	Edward Dumas	\$258.66
	Samuel Fucile	\$1,000.00
	Steve Hawley	\$400.98
	Shelly Hendee	\$172.44
	James Shortle	\$311.35
		\$4,143.43
065031	Athletic Equipment:	
	Keith's II Sports	\$6,025.05
	Great Outdoors	\$2,395.94
	Bodygears	\$807.81
	Mitchells	\$341.00
		\$9,569.80
	UTILITIES:	
065041	Electricity:	
	CVPS	\$2,948.45
065042	Telephone:	
	Bell Atlantic	\$1,174.72
	AT & T	\$56.79
		\$1,231.51

## RECREATION ACCOUNT SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
065043	Water:	
	City of Rutland	\$282.93
	MAINTENANCE:	
065051	Chemicals:	
	Allen Engineering	\$2,303.34
065052	Supplies - Maintenance:	
	A A Hadeka Inc	\$2,360.00
	W C Landon	\$711.89
	Foley's Distributor	\$369.78
	American Lock	\$315.48
	Allen Engineering	\$255.53
	Densmore Electric	\$251.15
	CCSS	\$154.48
	A & J Auto Parts	\$154.18
	T & T Tractor Equip	\$94.76
	Wilbur Dubray	\$81.95
	Otter Valley Supply	\$67.50
	Aubuchon's	\$11.97
		\$4,828.67
065053	Supplies - Miscellaneous:	
	Mel Stein	\$412.15
	WC Landon	\$260.51
	Wilbur Dubray	\$247.85
	T & T Tractor Equipment	\$150.00
	Staples	\$52.34
	Aubuchon's	\$35.93
	Eastman's	\$13.30
	Quick Print	\$10.00
		\$1,182.08
065055	Gas & Oil:	
	Citgo	\$741.23
065057	Miscellaneous:	
	Hubbard Brothers	\$500.00
	American Red Cross	\$382.50
	Anthony Flory	\$284.00
	T & T Tractor	\$185.49
	Center Rutland Welding	\$80.00
	VT Motor Vehicle	\$20.00
		\$1,451.99
065061	Miscellaneous:	
	CV Girls Softball	\$200.00
	American Red Cross	\$134.00
	U S I	\$121.18
	Proctor Youth League	\$100.00
	Garland's Showplace	\$56.05
	Hannaford's	\$40.93
	Jeff Douglas	\$30.00
	VT Institute for Gov	\$23.00
	VT Dept of Motor Vehicles	\$20.00
	CVNH Valley Chapter	\$16.00

## RECREATION SUMMARY OF ORDERS (Cont.)

ACCT NO	ITEM	AMOUNT
065061	Miscellaneous (Cont.):	
	Karen Alcorn	\$15.00
	Shawn Phelps	\$15.00
	Elizabeth Keirsted	\$15.00
	Georgia Berger	\$15.00
065071	Social Activities:	\$801.16
	Kmart	\$792.86
	Hannaford's	\$198.85
	Cartier's Meats	\$68.70
	Sam Fucile	\$12.46
		\$1,072.87
065081	Memberships:	
	CV Girls Softball	\$450.00
	Proctor Youth League	\$100.00
	R C Youth League	\$100.00
	Rutland City Recreation	\$75.00
	Middlebury Park/Rec	\$60.00
	Major League Soccer Camps	\$24.00
		\$809.00
065091	Capital Expenses:	
	Keith's II Sports	\$2,886.35
	Densmore Electric	\$2,535.10
	A T Stout	\$1,298.22
	Goal Sporting Goods	\$1,093.00
	Doran Brothers Inc.	\$975.00
	Otter Valley Supply	\$903.78
		\$9,691.45
065101	Printing:	
	Garrow Printing	\$226.00
065111	Legal Notices & Adverstising:	
	Rutland Herald	\$576.30
065121	Concession Stand:	
	West Lynn Creamery	\$1,619.94
	Sam Frank Inc	\$1,266.94
	Coca Cola Co	\$435.50
	B Norton Snacks	\$262.50
	Peter Walleit - Reimbursement	\$80.02
	Foley Distributors	\$76.70
	Cartier's Meats	\$68.70
	Kathleen French	\$22.10
		\$3,832.40
065123	Repairs:	
	Business Equipment	\$52.00
065131	Depreciation Account:	
	Howard Stratton	\$5,698.24
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$85,864.86
	TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$104,013.34
	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$85,864.86
Balance 12/31/98		\$18,148.48



**DELINQUENT TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**31 December 1998**  
**Richard S. Lloyd, Tax Collector**

I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen and the  
 staff at the Town Clerk's office  
 for all their support during the past year.

**Delinquent Property Taxes**

1996:	1,702.74
1997:	* <u>84,849.10</u>
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>86,551.84</b>

**Collected & Turned Over**

1996:	1,238.62
1997:	<u>46,208.23</u>
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>47,446.85</b>

\* Add: Pearson, John 2625.75

**OUTSTANDING DELINQUENT TAXES: PROPERTY 12/31/98**

1996:	464.12
1997:	<u>41,266.62</u>

**TOTAL:**                      **41,730.74**

## LIST OF DELINQUENT TAXES

1996

## Real Estate Tax:

* Ficken, James . . . . .	423.89
* Ragosta, Joseph/Robbin . . . . .	40.23

TOTAL FOR 1996:	464.12
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1997

## Personal Property Tx:

Montgomery Ward CO.(In Bankrptcy) . . . . .	35,028.92
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## Real Estate Tax:

* Bruce, Michael . . . . .	870.85
* Dickinson, Dav, Dav, Pauline . . . . .	1,187.34
* Hannon, James . . . . .	125.43
* Kent, Edward . . . . .	1,077.35
* M & T Mortgage . . . . .	102.50
* Palmer, Clayton/Ellen . . . . .	96.55
* Ragosta, Joseph/Robbin . . . . .	634.50
* Rizzi, Joseph/Becky . . . . .	965.69
* Sharp, Sue . . . . .	972.41
* Stauffer, William/Eliz. . . . .	205.08

TOTAL FOR 1997:	41,266.62
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TOTAL 1996 & 1997:	41,730.74
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\* Making Partial Payments



## FLORY HEIGHTS

**Delinquent Taxes**  
**Sewer Use/Bond**  
 1998: 29.27

**Collected & Turned Over**  
**Sewer Use/Bond**  
 1998: 17.37

**Outstanding Delinquent Tax: 11.90**  
 Hannon, James 11.90

## SEWER DISPOSAL ACCOUNT

**Delinquent Taxes**  
**Advalorem**  
 1997: 691.95  
 1998: 2750.69

**Collected & Turned Over**  
**Advalorem**  
 1997: 691.95  
 1998: 2750.69

## SEWER USE CHARGE

**Delinquent Taxes**  
 1998: \$80,218.53


**Collected & Turned Over**  
 1998:

**Outstanding Delinquent Tax: \$80,218.53**  
 \*Raylar Ltd. Partnership 80,218.53

\* Partial Payment Plan

**RABIES ALERT**  
 Rabies is a disease that can kill animals and people.

**VACCINATE YOUR PETS!**



\* Vermont law requires rabies shots for all CATS and DOGS.  
 \* Rabies shots help protect pets and pet owners from rabies.  
 \* Enjoy wildlife from a safe distance. Remember, rabid animals have been found in all Vermont counties.

Questions? Call the Vermont Rabies Hotline  
 1-800-4-RABIES (472-2437)


 Vermont Department of Health - Health Surveillance Division  
 P.O. Box 70, Burlington, VT 05402 - 863-7240 or 1-800-640-4376

### ANIMAL LICENSE REPORT - 1998

444 Neut Male/Spayed Female	@ \$5.00	\$2,220.00
75 Neut Male/Spayed Female	@ \$7.50	\$562.50
2 Neut Male/Spayed Female	@ \$2.50	\$5.00
14 Male	@ \$9.00	\$126.00
2 Male	@ \$13.50	\$27.00
22 Female	@ \$9.00	\$198.00
2 Female	@ \$13.50	\$27.00
1 Kennel Permits (8dogs)	@ \$30.00	\$30.00
1 <u>Special Permit</u>	@ \$10.00	\$10.00
563		\$3,205.50

### NOTE

A person who owns or keeps a dog more than six months old shall annually, on or before April 1, cause it to be licensed and shall pay \$5.00 for each neutered male or spayed female dog, \$9.00 for each male or female dog. If the license fee for any dog is not paid by April 1, a 50% penalty is added.

Before a person shall be entitled to obtain a license for a spayed female or neutered male dog, he or she shall exhibit to the Clerk a certificate signed by a duly licensed veterinarian showing that the female or male had been sterilized.

Before obtaining a license for a dog six months of age or older, a person shall deliver to the Town Clerk a certificate or certified copy thereof signed by a duly licensed veterinarian, stating that the dog has within 24 months been vaccinated against rabies with a vaccine approved by the Department of Agriculture. The Town Clerk shall keep the certificates or copies thereof on file.

**DOG TAGS ARE AVAILABLE NOW! PLEASE AVOID THE RUSH BEFORE APRIL 1ST. THANK YOU**

Annette M Drinwater  
 Town Clerk

## VERMONT HUNTING, FISHING AND TRAPPING DATES 1999 SEASON (All Dates Inclusive)

### FISHING

Trout & Landlocked Salmon .....	April 10 – Oct 31
Trout & Landlocked Salmon (Lake Champlain) .....	No Closed Season
Largemouth & Smallmouth Bass .....	June 12 – Nov 30
Catch & Release – Lakes and Ponds .....	April 10 – June 11
Pickering, N. Pike, Yellow Perch .....	No Closed Season
Walleye (Lake Champlain, Lake Carmi & certain areas of Lamoille & Missisquoi Rivers) .....	May 2, 1998 – March 15, 1999
.....	May 1, 1999 – March 15, 2000
(All other waters except Connecticut River) .....	No Closed Season
Smelt .....	May 29, 1999 – March 31, 2000
Smelt (Lake Champlain) .....	No Closed Season

### BIG GAME HUNTING

Deer (Bow & Arrow Only) .....	Oct 2 – 24
Deer (16 Day regular season) .....	Nov. 13 – Nov. 28
Deer (Muzzleloader or Bow & Arrow Only) .....	Dec 4 – 12
Black Bear .....	Sept. 1 – Nov. 17
Turkey .....	Spring May 1 – 31
.....	Fall seasons to be announced

### SMALL GAME HUNTING

Hare, Rabbit .....	Sept. 26, 1998 – March 14, 1999 & Sept. 25, 1999 – March 12, 2000
Gray Squirrel .....	Sept. 1 – Dec. 31
Bobwhite Quail .....	No Closed Season
Ruffed Grouse (Partridge) .....	Sept. 25 – Dec. 31
Woodcock .....	Set Annually
Pheasant .....	Sept. 25 – Dec. 31
Crow .....	March 14 – April 30 & Aug. 16 – Oct 29

### FURBEARER HUNTING

Bobcat .....	Jan. 10 – Feb. 7
Red & Gray Fox .....	Oct. 23, 1999 – Feb. 13, 2000
Raccoon .....	Oct. 9 – Dec. 31
Muskrat .....	March 20 – April 19
Coyote .....	No Closed Season

### FURBEARER TRAPPING

Mink, Skunk, Red & Gray Fox, Raccoon, Coyote .....	Oct. 23 – Dec. 31
Otter .....	Oct. 23 – Dec. 31
(Otter Continued During Beaver Season) .....	
Muskrat .....	4 <sup>th</sup> Sat. in Oct. – April 19
Fisher, Bobcat .....	Dec. 4 – 19
Beaver .....	8:00AM Dec. 19, 1998 – 4:00PM Feb. 13, 1999
.....	8:00AM Dec. 18, 1999 – 4:00PM Feb. 12, 2000
Marten .....	No Open Season

### WATERFOWL HUNTING .....

Set Annually

Read the Guide to Hunting, Fishing & Trapping Laws for more information and exceptions.  
Issued December 1998 by the Vermont Department of Fish and Wildlife, Waterbury, Vermont

## VERMONT FISH AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT

## 1999 LICENSE FEES

## RESIDENT

Fishing (under age 15-no license needed).....	\$20.00
Junior Fishing (ages 15 to 17).....	\$ 8.00
Hunting.....	\$14.00
Junior Hunting (under age 18).....	\$ 8.00
Combination.....	\$26.00
Trapping (sold at Waterbury Office).....	\$20.00
Junior Trapping (sold at Waterbury Office/under age 18).....	\$10.00
Archery (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$15.00
Second Archery (1999 hunting license needed-antlerless only).....	\$15.00
Turkey (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$15.00
Muzzleloader (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$15.00
Second Muzzleloader (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$15.00
Permanent license (65 or older, sold at Waterbury Office)...	\$14.00

## NON-RESIDENT

Fishing (under age 15-no license needed).....	\$38.00
Junior Fishing (ages 15 to 17).....	\$15.00
*1-Day Fishing... (please list term date on application)...	\$11.00
*3-Day Fishing... (please list term dates on application)...	\$18.00
*7-Day Fishing... (please list term dates on application)...	\$25.00
Hunting.....	\$80.00
Junior Hunting (under age 18).....	\$25.00
Combination.....	\$100.00
Trapping (sold at Waterbury Office).....	\$300.00
Small Game.....	\$35.00
Archery (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$20.00
Second Archery (1999 hunting license needed-antlerless only).....	\$20.00
Archery Only (1999 hunting license not needed).....	\$50.00
Turkey (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$20.00
Muzzleloader (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$20.00
Second Muzzleloader (1999 hunting license needed).....	\$20.00

## RESIDENT OR NON-RESIDENT

Vermont Waterfowl Stamp (federal stamp also needed).....\$ 5.00

NOTE: \$1.00 of the sticker price is the agent's fee.

\*Term licenses -- All dates are inclusive and consecutive.



**TOWN LISTERS**

Dean Davis, Howard J. Burgess - Chair; George J. Livak



**TOWN HEALTH OFFICER**

J. Barry Burke



**ASSISTANT HEALTH OFFICER**

Stanley F. Rhodes III



**TRANSFER STATION ATTENDANTS**  
Wilfred Shackett, Tony Flory



**MODERATOR & GRAND JUROR**  
Leigh E Adams



## RUTLAND TOWN CONSTABLES

Brian Abbey 1<sup>st</sup> Constable  
John D. Flory 2<sup>nd</sup> Constable

The Rutland Town Constables provide twenty-four (24) hour, seven days a week, police coverage to residents of the town. We schedule our off time so there is always one Constable available to respond to any calls for service. Both Constables are certified police officers, receive many hours of training each year and together have over sixty (60) years of police experience.

We are in daily contact with the Town Office. Generally, one of us attends the Select Board Meetings. This allows for the Board Members and the Constables to be informed of any and all problems affecting the town.

In 1998, we answered numerous calls for assistance from town residents and businesses, as well as, assisting other police agencies. The Vermont State Police often call for the services of the Constables to assist or investigate cases they are unable to respond to in a timely manner, due to their work load.

We respond to complaints ranging from serious, such as sexual assault, to the more common vandalism. We assist with serious injury accidents as well as minor parking lots accidents. Our duties include responding to burglar alarms, dog or animal related incidents, and many other types of complaints. We perform numerous service type functions, such as unscheduled vacant house checks and checking on the welfare of sick or suspected injured residents. We are also responsible for enforcing all town ordinances and State statutes.

In 1998 and continuing into 1999 we will be working with other town officials to perfect the new 911 procedures. The first few months have shown notable results, but continuing effort is needed to provide maximum efficiency of the 911 system.

Both Constables are regular members of the Rutland Town Fire Department and respond to fire calls.

The Constables may be reached at any of the following numbers:

Rutland Town Offices	773-2528
Brian Abbey	773-7388
John Flory	773-8973 or 773-3791
Vermont State Police	773-9101

Respectfully submitted,  
Brian Abbey  
John Flory  
Rutland Town Constables

## AUDITORS' REPORT

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS:

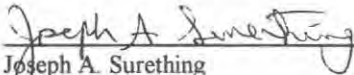
We have examined, to the extent of our abilities, the records and accounts of the Rutland Town School District as of June 30, 1998.


In our opinion, the accompanying Financial Statements present fairly the financial position of the School District as of June 30, 1998 and the results of their operations, and changes in their financial position for the year then ended.


As auditors, we have examined and tested such areas as cash, receipts, disbursements, investments, school petty cash and athletic fund accounts, and have verified figures on the accompanying financial statements. We have sent copies of our management letter stating any weaknesses there may be to the Town Treasurer and the Board of School Directors.

We thank Annette Drinwater, Kathy Bryant and all others connected with the Rutland Town School District for their cooperation and support in assisting us in this year's examination of the School records.

Respectfully submitted,  
BOARD OF AUDITORS

  
Joseph A. Surething

  
Shelly P. Hendee

  
Rosanne Krupp



AUDITORS' REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION  
OF THE TOWN OF RUTLAND  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1998

**ASSETS**

Account Balance:		
General	(\$1,094.86)	
Highway	69365.09	
Fire	\$7,494.72	
Recreation	\$18,148.48	
Sewage Fund	\$226,840.72	
Water Fund	(-\$144,596.35)	
Cemetery (Working)	<u>\$417.44</u>	
		\$176,575.24
Unpaid Taxes		\$41,730.74
Outstanding Fees		<u>\$304.50</u>
		\$42,035.24

**LIABILITIES**

Unpaid Bills:		
General	\$3,737.24	
Highway	\$197.39	
Fire	\$479.77	
Recreation	\$70.90	
Sewer	\$0.00	
Water	<u>\$58.20</u>	
		\$4,543.50
Surplus		<u>\$37,491.74</u>
		\$42,035.24

**OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS**

South End Sewer Project	\$390,000.00	
North End Sewer Project	\$750,660.00	
Transfer Station	<u>\$150,000.00</u>	
		\$1,290,660.00

Respectively Submitted  
BOARD OF AUDITORS  
Joseph A Surething, Chair  
Shelly P Hendee  
Rosanne Krupp



### SCHOOL DIRECTORS

Front Row: Lynnette M. Gallipo - Clerk, Donald P. Tredtin

Back Row: Charles G. Shomo, Kevin J. Mullin, S Stacy Chapman - Chair

#### RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

Act 60 remains as the biggest challenge facing the educational system in Rutland Town. At the high school level, our Town is in the position of having a legal obligation to pay the approved student tuition charged by the receiving schools while at the same time having that portion of tuition above the State Block Grant charged against the Town for purposes of determining the Town's contribution to the so-called 'shark pool'.

At the elementary school level, there are proposals being considered to expand the kindergarten program to a full day session from the current half day class schedule. The reason for consideration of this change is information made available through the Administration and concerned parents which indicates that children participating in full day kindergarten classes are much better prepared than half-time kindergarten students in fundamental skills such as reading and mathematics. The School Board and Administration would also like to see improvements to existing programs with the intention of strengthening our students' basic skills in math, language arts, technology and foreign language. The problem we all face, however, is that during this next school budget year, the 'second phase' of Act 60 will become effective. The result of this phase is that the statewide property tax rate in Rutland Town will increase from \$0.95 per hundred (under the so-called 'soft landing' provision of Act 60) to the full \$1.10 per hundred tax rate.

As School Board Members, we consider that our primary goal is to maintain and improve the quality of our Town's educational programs. On the other hand, however, these educational needs must be balanced with the financial burdens placed on Town taxpayers. Quite simply, we cannot 'break the bank'.

It is our hope that the Town voters and taxpayers will continue their much appreciated support for our school system. Our school has long been a very positive part of the attraction to persons who consider residing in Rutland Town. Our property values have been enhanced by a strong school and we should make a determined effort not to allow the financial pressures of Act 60 to undermine the system. To do so would be detrimental to the school children as well as property values in the Town.

The upcoming school budget year will not be easy. In addition to program needs, we are also involved in contract negotiations with our Teachers' Union. The staff and teachers have been very supportive and understanding of the Town's financial needs over the past 12 months and we are confident that there will be continued cooperation on the part of all involved. We are also exploring ways to minimize the financial impact on our school budget with possible outside funding sources such as the Freeman Foundation. We encourage all Town residents to offer comments and express their opinions. Our Board meetings are every other Monday evening at the School Library, beginning at 7:00 PM.

We look forward to your continued support.

Respectfully submitted

STACY CHAPMAN III, Chairman  
LYNETTE GALLIPO, Clerk  
DONALD TREDTIN  
CHARLES SHOMO  
KEVIN MULLIN

**RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT  
PROPOSED 1999/2000 BUDGET**

Budget 1998/99	Proposed Budget 1999/2000	\$ Change	% Change
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**R.T.E.S.**

Regular Instruction	1,985,701	2,058,124	72,423	3.65%
Athletics	31,537	30,619	(918)	-2.91%
Special Education	228,824	245,226	16,402	7.17%
Home & School Coord.	10,443	10,979	536	5.13%
Guidance	69,036	72,460	3,424	4.96%
Nursing Services	44,364	53,522	9,158	20.64%
Staff Support	5,000	5,000	0	0.00%
Library & Media	54,845	57,602	2,757	5.03%
General Administration	125,936	133,789	7,853	6.24%
School Administration	192,540	200,224	7,684	3.99%
Fiscal Service	12,120	22,216	10,096	83.30%
Building & Grounds	227,297	234,655	7,358	3.24%
Pupil Transportation	152,700	156,000	3,300	2.16%
Debt Service	182,619	177,618	(5,001)	-2.74%
<b>Total RTES Budget</b>	<b>3,322,962</b>	<b>3,458,034</b>	<b>135,072</b>	<b>4.06%</b>

**High School**

Tuition - High Schools	1,220,377	1,318,911	98,534	8.07%
Tuition - Vocational	36,114	43,357	7,243	20.06%
<b>Total High School</b>	<b>1,256,491</b>	<b>1,362,268</b>	<b>105,777</b>	<b>8.42%</b>
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>4,579,453</b>	<b>4,820,302</b>	<b>240,849</b>	<b>5.26%</b>

	1997/98 Actual	1998/99 Budget	Status 1998/99 Budget	Projected Year end 1998/99	Variance	Proposed 1999/2000 Budget	\$ Change	% Change
<b>INCOME:</b>								
General State Aid	1,938	3,128,945	1,546,548	3,128,945	0	3,235,428	106,483	
Special Education	112,589	172,456	171,438	171,439	(1,017)	182,250	9,794	
Other state funds	6,862	134,018	43,204	134,018	0	156,212	22,194	
<b>Total State Funds</b>	<b>121,389</b>	<b>3,435,419</b>	<b>1,761,190</b>	<b>3,434,402</b>	<b>(1,017)</b>	<b>3,573,890</b>	<b>138,471</b>	<b>4.03%</b>
Tuition	38,250	19,600	31,410	53,190	33,590	48,000	28,400	
Interest	93,987	10,000	5,914	10,000	0	10,000	0	
Rental Income	705	650	610	650	0	650	0	
Insurance claims	11,338	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Contributions	7,238	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Refunds	15,192	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Misc. income	79	200	110	310	110	110		
Reserved funds	0	50,000	27,109	27,109	(22,891)	(30,000)	(80,000)	
<b>Total Local income</b>	<b>166,789</b>	<b>80,450</b>	<b>65,153</b>	<b>91,259</b>	<b>10,809</b>	<b>28,760</b>	<b>(51,600)</b>	<b>-64.14%</b>
Local Taxes	4,292,974	1,063,584	531,793	1,063,584	0	1,217,651	154,067	14.49%
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>4,581,152</b>	<b>4,579,453</b>	<b>2,358,136</b>	<b>4,589,245</b>	<b>9,792</b>	<b>4,820,301</b>	<b>240,938</b>	<b>5.26%</b>
<b>EXPENSE SUMMARY:</b>								
Regular instruction	3,188,303	3,206,078	1,262,757	3,139,475	66,603	3,377,035	170,957	5.33%
Athletics	25,223	31,537	9,588	31,537	0	30,619	(918)	-2.91%
Special education	220,803	228,824	150,211	267,509	(38,685)	245,226	16,402	7.17%
Vocational education	30,095	36,114	32,070	28,336	7,778	43,357	7,243	20.06%
Home school coord.	9,627	10,443	6,238	10,443	0	10,979	536	5.13%
Guidance	67,828	69,036	35,427	68,996	40	72,460	3,424	4.96%
Nursing services	49,945	44,364	23,310	51,695	(7,331)	53,522	9,158	20.64%
Staff support	5,325	5,000	0	5,000	0	5,000	0	0.00%

	1997/98 Actual	1998/99 Budget	Status 1998/99 Budget	Projected Year end 1998/99	Variance	Proposed 1999/2000 Budget	\$ Change	% Change
Library & media services	70,527	54,845	23,110	52,963	1,882	57,602	2,757	5.03%
General administration	127,473	125,936	85,501	127,744	(1,808)	133,789	7,853	6.24%
School administration	208,622	192,540	107,588	194,346	(1,806)	200,224	7,684	3.99%
Fiscal service	11,754	12,120	16,207	21,765	(9,645)	22,216	10,096	83.30%
Building & grounds	239,022	227,297	116,116	230,838	(3,541)	234,655	7,358	3.24%
Pupil transportation	150,258	152,700	141,247	148,886	3,814	156,000	3,300	2.16%
Debt Service	187,023	182,619	145,462	182,619	0	177,618	(5,001)	-2.74%
Total Expense	4,591,829	4,579,453	2,154,832	4,562,152	17,301	4,820,302	240,849	5.26%
Regular Instruction	1,933,646	1,904,210	797,342	1,928,869	(24,659)	1,927,667	23,457	
Wages & benefits	6,344	1,475	3,357	4,122	(2,647)	26,932	25,457	
Purchased services	22,421	20,460	26,497	21,654	(1,194)	21,150	690	
Repairs & maintenance	1,122,285	1,220,377	381,679	1,115,601	104,776	1,318,911	98,534	
Tuition	6,606	7,530	2,218	6,346	1,184	8,380	850	
Other purchased service	58,322	50,651	50,859	61,508	(10,857)	62,960	12,309	
Supplies & materials	37,379	150	0	150	0	9,360	9,210	
Equipment	1,300	1,225	805	1,225	0	1,675	450	
Dues & fees	3,188,303	3,206,078	1,262,757	3,139,475	66,603	3,377,035	170,957	5.33%
Total Regular Inst.								
Athletics	19,203	22,535	7,691	22,535	0	21,246	(1,289)	
Wages & benefits	4,021	4,952	968	4,952	0	4,770	(182)	
Officials	1,999	3,900	909	3,900	0	4,328	428	
Supplies & materials	0	150	20	150	0	275	125	
Dues & fees	25,223	31,537	9,588	31,537	0	30,619	(918)	-2.91%
Total Athletics								

	1997/98 Actual	1998/99 Budget	Status 1998/99 Budget	Projected Year end 1998/99	Variance	Proposed 1999/2000 Budget	\$ Change	% Change
<u>Special Education</u>								
Direct Instruction								
Wages & benefits	85,343	74,623	47,970	110,915	(36,292)	117,078	42,455	
Purchased service	31,360	38,250	10,460	38,250	0	13,250	(25,000)	
Supplies & materials	1,636	1,150	426	1,150	0	1,400	250	
Dues & fees	76	75		75	0	75	0	
Total Direct Inst.	118,415	114,098	58,856	150,390	(36,292)	131,803	17,705	15.52%
EEE Program	42,359	46,550	46,550	44,943	1,607	43,623	(2,927)	-6.29%
Student Support	4,595	3,500	1,893	5,100	(1,600)	6,100	2,600	74.29%
<u>Speech / Language</u>								
Wages & benefits	37,305	38,576	18,661	40,608	(2,032)	40,361	1,785	
Other purchased services	0	200	0	200	0	200	0	
Supplies & materials	635	900	893	1,441	(541)	3,000	2,100	
Dues & Fees	150	200	194	194	6	250	50	
Total Speech / language	38,090	39,876	19,748	42,443	(2,567)	43,811	3,935	9.87%
Audiological	36	2,700	462	2,700	0	500	(2,200)	
Administrative Service	16,815	22,100	22,100	21,183	917	18,889	(3,211)	
Student Transportation	494	0	602	750	(750)	500	500	
Total Special Ed	220,803	228,824	150,211	267,509	(38,685)	245,226	16,402	7.17%
<u>Vocational Education</u>								
	30,095	36,114	32,070	28,336	7,778	43,357	7,243	20.06%
<u>Home School Coord.</u>								
Wages & benefits	0	10,443	6,238	10,443	0	10,729	286	
Purchased service	9,527	0			0	0	0	
Travel	100	0	0	0	0	250	250	
Total Home School Coord	9,627	10,443	6,238	10,443	0	10,979	536	5.13%

	1997/98 Actual	1998/99 Budget	Status 1998/99 Budget	Projected Year end 1998/99	Variance	Proposed 1999/2000 Budget	\$ Change	% Change
<u>Guidance</u>								
Wages & benefits	65,655	65,361	35,217	65,321	40	66,785	1,424	
Purchased service	1,456	2,650	0	2,650	0	3,150	500	
Supplies & materials	617	700	110	700	0	2,200	1,500	
Dues & Fees	100	325	100	325	0	325	0	
Total Guidance	67,828	69,036	35,427	68,996	40	72,460	3,424	4.96%
<u>Nursing Service</u>								
Wages & benefits	45,263	42,674	21,477	49,540	(6,866)	49,972	7,298	
Repairs & maintenance	161	150	113	150	0	150	0	
Other purchased services	340	300	0	200	100	300	0	
Supplies & materials	2,671	1,150	1,715	1,715	(565)	2,450	1,300	
Equipment	1,410	0	0	0	0	550	550	
Dues & fees	100	90	5	90	0	100	10	
Total Nursing Service	49,945	44,364	23,310	51,695	(7,331)	53,522	9,158	20.64%
<u>Staff Support</u>	5,325	5,000	0	5,000	0	5,000	0	0.00%
<u>Library &amp; Media Service</u>								
Wages & benefits	57,232	49,280	20,022	48,816	464	49,972	692	
Repairs & maintenance	816	1,000	624	1,000	0	1,000	0	
Supplies & materials	9,180	4,000	2,167	2,582	1,418	4,755	755	
Equipment	3,244	500	297	500	0	1,825	1,325	
Dues & fees	55	65	0	65	0	50	(15)	
Total Library & Media	70,527	54,845	23,110	52,963	1,882	57,602	2,757	5.03%
<u>General Administration</u>								
Wages & benefits	11,343	10,223	5,086	10,191	32	10,192	(31)	

	1997/98 Actual	1998/99 Budget	Status 1998/99 Budget	Projected Year end 1999/99	Variance	Proposed 1999/2000 Budget	\$ Change	% Change
Purchased services	107,541	104,963	75,968	107,660	(2,697)	112,269	7,306	
Other purchased services	2,708	4,850	725	4,400	450	4,800	(50)	
Supplies & materials	2,947	1,950	1,162	2,933	(983)	2,433	483	
Contingency	1,484	2,500	965	965	1,535	2,500	0	
Dues & Fees	1,450	1,450	1,595	1,595	(145)	1,595	145	
Total General Admin.	127,473	125,936	85,501	127,744	(1,808)	133,789	7,853	6.24%
<u>School Administration</u>								
Wages & benefits	182,216	180,025	95,280	173,221	6,804	178,909	(1,116)	
Repairs & maintenance	1,018	4,000	0	4,000	0	4,000	0	
Other purchased service	20,030	5,700	8,662	13,455	(7,755)	14,500	8,800	
Supplies & materials	3,113	1,700	1,976	2,000	(300)	1,700	0	
Dues & Fees	2,245	1,115	1,670	1,670	(555)	1,115	0	
Total School Admin.	208,622	192,540	107,588	194,346	(1,806)	200,224	7,684	3.99%
<u>Fiscal Service</u>								
Treasurer's office	10,864	10,500	7,319	11,257	(757)	11,596	1,096	
Supplies	890	1,620	0	1,620	0	1,620	0	
Interest	0	0	8,888	8,888	(8,888)	9,000	9,000	
Total Fiscal Svc.	11,754	12,120	16,207	21,765	(9,645)	22,216	10,096	83.30%
<u>Building &amp; Grounds</u>								
Wages & benefits	93,432	102,052	55,384	102,656	(604)	106,305	4,253	
Repairs & maintenance	37,954	16,625	13,510	20,625	(4,000)	23,100	6,475	
Other purchased service	6,785	7,248	4,940	5,440	1,808	7,100	(148)	
Supplies & materials	97,295	97,872	41,470	98,617	(745)	93,750	(4,122)	
Equipment	3,556	3,500	812	3,500	0	4,400	900	
Total Building & Grounds	239,022	227,297	116,116	230,838	(3,541)	234,655	7,358	3.24%



	1997/98 Actual	1998/99 Budget	Status 1998/99 Budget	Projected Year end 1998/99	Variance	Proposed 1999/2000 Budget	\$ Change	% Change
<u>Pupil Transportation</u>								
Crossing Guard	705	0	0	0	0		0	
To & from school	136,672	143,000	139,186	139,186	3,814	143,000	0	
Other transportation	12,881	9,700	2,061	9,700	0	13,000	3,300	
Total pupil transportation	150,258	152,700	141,247	148,886	3,814	156,000	3,300	2.16%
<u>Debt Service</u>								
Interest	82,023	77,619	40,462	77,619	0	72,618	(5,001)	
Principal	105,000	105,000	105,000	105,000	0	105,000	0	
Total Debt Service	187,023	182,619	145,462	182,619	0	177,618	(5,001)	-2.74%
<b>TOTAL BUDGET</b>	<b>4,591,829</b>	<b>4,579,453</b>	<b>2,154,832</b>	<b>4,562,152</b>	<b>17,301</b>	<b>4,820,302</b>	<b>240,849</b>	<b>5.26%</b>

**PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES  
RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Name	Salary		Work Week	Salary
	1998-1999			1999-2000 Under Negotiations
Abatiell, Leah	15,067	50%	130.00	
Audette, Susan	47,519		130.00	
Barbagallo, Carol	47,519		130.00	
Barron, Marcia	47,519		130.00	
Blicharz, Stanley	47,519		130.00	
Blickarz, Cynthia	47,519		130.00	
Bliss, Robert	52,000		0.00	
Book, Janet	45,665		130.00	
Browe, Beverly	45,201		130.00	
Czachor, Theresa	38,247		130.00	
Dewey, Randall	47,519		130.00	
Drake, Tedda	47,519		130.00	
Durfee, Marie	45,201		130.00	
Eggleston, James	45,201		130.00	
Ferraro, Iris	45,201		130.00	
Fowler, Jeffrey	10,702	46.17%	0.00	
Giambatista, Paul	42,188		130.00	
Gillooly, Joanne	32,452		130.00	
Hale, Lou Ann	45,201		130.00	
Irwin, Terence (Bear)	45,201		130.00	
Kinsler, Michael L. Kinsler	47,519		130.00	
Letourneau, Karen	43,578		130.00	
Lynam, Gloria	28,975		130.00	
MacHardy, Patricia	45,201		130.00	
McKane, Cheryl	23,180	50%	130.00	
McShane, Nance	45,201		130.00	
Melen, Jodi	32,452		130.00	
Mello, Kathleen	47,519		130.00	
Montrone, Carol	47,519		130.00	
Mullin, Linda	42,188		130.00	
Poliseno, Thomas	62,500		0.00	
Redman, Travis	47,519		130.00	
Roberts, Susan	37,552		130.00	
Ronri, Karl	47,519		130.00	
Ronn, Sharon	46,360		130.00	
Ryan, Lynn	36,393		130.00	
Ryan, Tina	45,665		130.00	
Stenroos, Gust	47,519		130.00	
Swinyer-Esposito, Patti	43,347		130.00	
Tall, Suzanne	33,379		130.00	
Townsend, Paula	18,660	50%	130.00	
Tracy, Barbara	45,201		130.00	
Whitaker, Janice	38,247		130.00	

**RUTLAND TOWN TEACHERS - 1998-1999 SCHOOL YEAR**

**Mr. Thomas Poliseno, Principal**

**Mr. Robert Bliss, Associate Principal**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Grade Level</b>	<b>Years of Experience</b>
Mrs. (Leah) Patrick Abatiell	Language Arts & Mathematics	5
Mrs. Susan Audette	Grade 4	26
Mrs. (Carol) Joseph Babagallo	Grade 3	19
Mrs. (Marcia) Michael Barron	Physical Education K-4	25
Mr. Stanley A. Blicharz	Guidance	28
Miss Cynthia A. Blickarz	Grade 4	22
Mrs. Janet L. Book	Kindergarten	15
Mrs. (Beverly) Thomas Browe	Grade 1	28
Mrs. (Theresa) Frank Czachor	Librarian	17
Mr. Randall E. Dewey	Grade 6	24
Mrs. (Tedda) Larry Drake	Grade 3	23
Mrs. (Marie) James Durfee	Grade 3	17.3
Mr. James J. Eggleston	Grade 8	32
Mrs. (Iris) Barry Ferraro	Grade 5	25.5
Mr. Jeffery F. Fowler	Industrial Arts	0
Mr. Paul A. Giambatista	Grade 8	17
Mrs. (Joanne) Jeffrey Gillooley	Grade 8	4
Mrs. (Lou Ann) John Hale	Family and Consumer Science	24
Mr. Terence (Bear) Irwin	Instrumental Music	21
Mr. Michael L. Kinsler	Grade 7	19
Mrs. Karen P. Letourneau	Student Education Services	14
Mrs. (Gloria) Roger Lynam	Grade 7 Language Arts	1
Mrs. (Patricia) John MacHardy	Grade 2	19
Mrs. (Cheryl) George McKane	Language Arts	25
Mrs. (Nance) John McShane	Art	26
Miss Jodi L. Melen	Speech/Language Pathologist	4
Mrs. (Kathleen) Peter Mello	Grades 1 & 2	19
Mrs. (Carol) James Montrone	Grade 4	25
Mrs. (Linda) Michael Mullin	Grade 1	16
Mr. Travis H. Redman	Grade 6 & 8	26
Mrs. (Susan) Michael Roberts	Kindergarten & Language Arts	10
Mr. Karl S. Ronn	Grade 7	23
Mrs. Sharon C. Ronn	Grade 5	17
Mrs. (Lynn) Reg Ryan	Grades 1 & 2	10
Mrs. Tina M. Ryan	Grade 6	15
Mr. Gust J. Stenross	Physical Education 5-8	32
Mrs. (Patti) Ralph Swinyer-Esposito	Grade 5	15
Mrs. Suzanne E. Tall	Music K-5	10
Mrs. (Paula) David Townsend	Language Arts	11
Mrs. (Barbara) Paul Tracy	Language Arts/Support Services	21
Mrs. (Janice) Lawrence Whitaker	School Nurse/Health Educator	12
Mrs. Martha Barclay	Instructional Assistant	4
Mrs. Lyn Drigert-Bender	Instructional Assistant	3
Mrs. Sharon Cassarino	Instructional Assistant	16
Leisa Hain	Instructional Assistant	0
Stacy Godbout	Instructional Assistant	0
Sara Kennelly	Instructional Assistant	0
Tammi L. Moran	Instructional Assistant	0
Shelley Pelkey	Instructional Assistant	0
Mrs. Lori McNeil	Instructional Assistant	4
Kathy L. Connolly	Home School Coordinator	0

**ENROLLMENTS BY GRADES - DECEMBER 1, 1998  
WITH COMPARISONS**

	K	1	1/2	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1998-99	1997-98	1996-97	1995-96
Rutland	31	36	39	18	55	64	72	53	65	48	481			
Town	47	18	35	38	62	63	52	65	49	58		487		
School	37	31	30	42	58	47	65	45	55	58			468	
	48	35	37	40	49	67	49	56	57	42				480

**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS BY GRADES  
1998-1999 School Year**

Tuition 1998-1999		Grades			
		9	10	11	12
\$ 6,744.00	Rutland City	50	49	30	31
\$ 6,800.00	Proctor High School	3	6	2	3
\$ 5,900.00	Mill River Union	1	1	2	9
\$ -	Mt. St. Joseph	3	7	7	8
\$ 7,200.00	Woodstock High School				1

**Rutland Central Supervisory Union Notice  
Handicapped Children  
Ages 0-21 Years**

The Rutland Central Supervisory Union (Proctor, Rutland Town and West Rutland) in meeting the requirements of its local Education Agency Plan, is attempting to identify any and all area resident children between the ages of 0-21 years who may be considered handicapped. These children are entitled to receive an education, regardless of handicap, at public expense. It is possible that the Rutland Central Supervisory Union may not be aware of the residence of all handicapped children. If you know of a child who might be eligible for educational services and is not in school, please notify the Director of Student Educational Services, 257 South Main Street, Rutland, Vermont 05701, or phone 775-4342.

## RUTLAND TOWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Class of 1998

Heather Jan Barone  
Shannon Leah Berry  
Lynne Amy Booth  
Elizabeth Ann Boyington  
Nicole Renee Brierre  
Jasmyn Leta Brown  
Andrew David Burt  
Jessica Lynne Chapman  
Rebecca Lynn Cioffi  
Samuel Peter Conway  
Kathryn Ann Currier  
Andrew Richard Derby  
Gretchen Catherine Desch  
Kenneth Samir Donahue  
Chad Michael Drake  
Thomas Patrick Enman  
Shane Crawford Forguites  
Andrea Michelle Gee  
Mark Justin Gibeault  
Molly Elizabeth Gormley  
Meghan Elizabeth Gunn  
Dana Jackson Hackett  
Trista Lynn Harder  
Byron John Hathaway  
Ben Anthony Hogan  
Brendan Daniel Hurlburt  
Sean Patrick Hurley  
Michael James Kavouksorian  
Christopher Jason Kraby

Lynelle Denise Kulig  
Jason Brian Latterell  
Matthew Kurt Lewis  
Alison Margaret Bam Logan  
Tyler Joseph Lanczak  
Andrea Joy Lunt  
Nicola Carles Marro  
Molly Marzalek-Kelly  
James Joseph McKeon  
Jamie Lynn Montrone  
Matthew Blane Nasveschuck  
Nicole Leigh Nickerson  
Angela Lynn Oakes  
Matthew Zipf Oldenburg  
Carlo Guiseppi Romeo  
Jenel Candice Ronn  
Louis Robert Rousseau  
Christopher Lee Sabatino  
Stefani Beth Savage  
Kate Bartley Schlachter  
Lane Virginia Smith  
Amy Marie Solari  
Gregory Joseph Walleth  
Brian Scott Webster  
Henry Philip Wharton  
Seth Palmer Wilson  
Geoffrey Douglas Wilson  
Adam Robert Wolford  
Carolina Zakrajsek

## Rutland Central Supervisory Union Annual Report for 1998/99 School Year

Continuous improvement is a journey and a process. Proctor, Rutland Town, and West Rutland School Boards, administrators, and staff continue to work cooperatively to raise student expectations and performance. Action Planning Teams have been established in each of the school districts throughout the supervisory union. These teams are comprised of parents, board members, administrators, teachers, and community members in each respective district. The main purpose of these school-based teams is to "discover the story behind the data". As a result of their work, Action Plans have been completed with a focus on curriculum improvement strategies. The aim is to improve student performance in specific areas. The schools will implement strategies to improve results. This schoolwide effort to create lasting improvements takes time. The long-term goal is to strive for sustained and consistent high performance.

The initiatives undertaken this year throughout the RCSU are as follows:

Rutland Town has implemented a new math curriculum for grades 1-6 and a new reading curriculum for grades 1-4. West Rutland has piloted a high school math program called "Interactive Mathematics" that integrates real world problems with complex math concepts. West Rutland has also begun phasing in the Everyday Math Program K-6 this year. Proctor Elementary has enhanced the reading program by developing a curriculum that included a redesign of the language arts and skill development in phonemic awareness for K-2 students. Proctor High School has reorganized in an effort to improve the middle level program for students.

At the Supervisory Union level, we have established a K-12 Professional Development and Assessment Committee. The purpose of this committee is twofold: (1) to provide the "linkage" with each district so that we can align our resources in order to avoid duplication of our improvement efforts; and (2) to link the RCSU "Direction" to each district Action Plan supporting continuous improvement.

The Action Plans in each district have focused on the following areas for improvement. Rutland Town's Action Plan will focus on reading and Language Arts needs for the 1999/2000 school year. Proctor School district will focus their Action Plan on improving math problem solving, as well as, language analysis and interpretation. The Action Plan in West Rutland will focus on reading, as well as, math concepts and problem solving. All of these efforts will be coordinated and aligned to meet the state standards and framework. In the spring of this year, each school district will report out to the community at large the results of student performance and the Action Plans formulated and designed to improve upon that performance.

We have begun on a journey setting a "direction" which focuses on the following "aims" as a supervisory union:

1. Highest Student Achievement – We have begun the journey with our district Action Plans.
2. Safe & Orderly Learning Environment – We have begun with the training and establishment of crisis teams in each of our schools throughout the RCSU.
3. Partnerships – We have made various linkages for professional development with area supervisory unions and outside resources. We have also looked to

- involve community members, parents and board members to be part of the action planning process and created partnerships that reach across districts.
4. High Performing Staff – We have focused our professional development by looking at “results-driven education” (beginning with the end in mind). The RCSU will provide improvement and involvement opportunities to help enhance individual and team skills for the long-term future strength of the school program.
  5. Management System – We have begun the journey to look for a way to coordinate all activities and resources within the supervisory union. We continually look to align acts of improvement to support instruction and success for students.

The key to success is taking on the journey and being part of the process. Oliver Wendell Holmes once stated, “I find the important thing in life is not where we are, but in what direction we are moving”. We need to keep traveling together on this journey; and keep our focus on assuring that each student achieves at his or her highest level and leaves school prepared for success in life.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Kaldy  
Superintendent of Schools

Rutland Central Supervisory Union  
Special Services Annual Report

Rutland Central Supervisory Union remains committed to providing high-quality educational support for all learners. Expanding the continuum of services for the 1998-1999 school year have included:

- Support training of two teachers (Barb Tracy, Rutland Town and Marilyn Griffith, Proctor Elementary School) in Reading Recover. A Reading Recovery Program has been implemented as of September, 1998 in both Rutland Town and Proctor Elementary School.
- Stan Blicharz (Guidance – Rutland Town School), Madison DeLorme (Home School Coordinator – West Rutland School) and Mel Miller (Special Education – Proctor High School) are receiving extensive training in Goldstein's Social Skills Curriculum and are implementing Social Skills Programs throughout the Supervisory Union.
- School Nurses, Guidance Counselors and Home School Coordinators are documenting their services for the recovery of funds from the Vermont Department of Health Incentive, EPSDT (Early Periodic Screening Diagnostic Treatment). The money recovered is going back to the supervisory union to support health screenings, nursing support and the development of health protocols. The Supervisory Union committee continues to explore ways to promote wellness for all school children.

All Special Educators participated in a two-day Medicaid training this summer. Participation in this training permitted special educators to receive a free desk top computer and printer. This training allowed the RCSU to recover Medicaid dollars (through hard work and documentation of the special education staff) for reinvestment that will enhance service(s) for all children.

The Rutland Central Supervisory Union's dedicated support staff continue to expand upon current and explore new services for children ages 3-21 that are dignified and empowering.



**AUDITORS' REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION  
OF THE RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT  
AS OF JUNE 30, 1998**

**ASSETS**

Balance:	
Checking and Payroll Accounts	\$41,393.57
Food Service Checking Accounts	<u>\$2,351.27</u>
	\$43,744.84

**LIABILITIES**

Unpaid Bills:	\$36,490.34
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**AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1998**

**ASSETS**

Balance:	
Checking Account	\$286,881.37
Food Service Checking Account	<u>\$2,098.59</u>
	\$288,979.96

**LIABILITIES**

Unpaid Bills:	\$256,660.06
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**OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1998**

New Addition	\$1,335,000.00
Roof Project	<u>\$85,000.00</u>
	\$1,420,000.00

Respectively Submitted,  
BOARD OF AUDITORS

Joseph A Surething  
Shelly P Hendee  
Rosanne Krupp

**TOWN OF RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT # 1  
TREASURER'S REPORT  
WATER ACCOUNT**

**RECEIPTS**

Balance from 12/31/97	\$24,172.88	
Water Meter Charges	\$10,892.43	
Water Bond Payments	\$9,919.00	
Carris Reels - Sprinkler Contract	\$4,743.00	
Delinquent Payments	\$1,871.57	
Albank - Interest	\$609.78	
Delinquent Fees	\$149.72	
Delinquent Interest	<u>\$21.11</u>	
		\$52,379.49

**DISBURSEMENTS**

G.E. Capital Corp - Loan & Interest	\$13,550.00	
Well Project - Loan & Interest	\$4,243.64	
Maintenance & Repairs	\$2,096.00	
CVPS - Electricity	\$1,619.92	
Insurance	\$1,200.00	
Bell Atlantic	\$621.82	
Richard J DelBianco - Services	\$620.00	
Miscellaneous	\$594.95	
Charles Vajda - Services	\$554.00	
Proctor Gas Co - Gas	\$512.04	
George Miglis - Services	\$474.00	
Howard Burgess - Services	\$414.00	
Postage & Envelopes	\$205.68	
Computer Services	\$183.20	
Social Security	\$162.97	
Richard Lloyd - Tax Collector	\$42.10	
Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$25,285.17</u>	
		\$52,379.49

**SEWER ACCOUNT****RECEIPTS**

Balance 12/31/97	\$15,691.25	
Fire District # 1 Sewer Users	\$44,360.48	
Property Taxes	\$4,282.93	
Albank - Interest	\$493.25	
Delinquent Taxes	\$127.20	
Delinquent Fees	\$10.18	
Delinquent Interest	<u>\$6.54</u>	
		\$64,971.83

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Town of Rutland Sewer Use	\$33,541.55	
Town of Rutland - Annual Loan Payment	\$5,000.00	
George Miglis - Operator & Services	\$4,946.00	
Insurance	\$1,834.29	
CVPS Corp - Electricity	\$1,790.52	
Maintenance & Repairs	\$1,092.53	
Charles Vajda - Services	\$954.00	
Richard J DelBianco - Services	\$927.50	
Bell Atlantic - Telemetry	\$696.73	
Proctor Gas Co - Gas	\$562.58	
Social Security	\$541.55	
Howard Burgess - Services	\$250.00	
Computer Services	\$206.25	
Postage & Envelopes	\$91.30	
Miscellaneous	\$47.22	
Richard S Lloyd - Tax Collector	\$1.25	
Balance 12/31/98	<u>\$12,488.56</u>	
		\$64,971.83

**SEWER ACCOUNT GRAND LIST**

Property List \$254,365.82 Assessed at	\$0.018	\$4,578.58
Paid to Treasurer	\$4,349.87	
Turned over to Tax Collector	<u>\$228.71</u>	
		\$4,578.58

**SEWER BOND RETIREMENT ACCOUNT****PUMPING STATION**

Town of Rutland Loan Maturing December 2002	\$75,000.00
Payment Schedule as follows:	
11 Installments at \$5000.00	<u>\$55,000.00</u>
Balance 12/31/98	\$20,000.00

**WATER NOTES**

1980 Water Project Balance	\$193,000.00
G E Capital Corp 1998 Payment	<u>(\$4000.00)</u>
Balance 12/31/98	\$189,000.00
1996 Well Project Balance	\$7,500.00
Total Fire District # 1 Indebtedness	\$216,500.00

RESPECTIVELY SUBMITTED  
 RICHARD J DELBIANCO  
 Treasurer

## DELINQUENT TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

31-Dec-98

Fire District #1

Richard S. Lloyd, Tax Collector

## SEWER ACCOUNT

DELINQUENT TAXES		COLLECTED & TURNED OVER	
1997	\$78.43	1997	\$78.43
1998	\$228.71	1998	\$147.55
Outstanding Delinquent Tax:		\$81.16	(1998)
	1998 Case, Warren		\$17.91
	1998 Coughlin, Harold		\$23.72
	1998 Kellogg, Daniel & Sandra		\$12.42
	1998 Stroup, Joan		\$8.91
	1998 Wood, Charleen		<u>\$18.20</u>
	Total		\$81.16

## WATER BOND ACCOUNT

DELINQUENT TAXES		COLLECTED & TURNED OVER	
1997	\$244.50	1997	\$244.50
1998	\$3,094.00	1998	\$2,002.00
Outstanding Delinquent Tax:		\$1,092.00	(1998)
	1998 Case, Warren		\$364.00
	1998 Coughlin, Harold		\$182.00
	1998 Herchenoder, Karen		\$91.00
	1998 Kellogg, Daniel & Sandra		\$91.00
	1998 Wood, Charleen		<u>\$364.00</u>
	Total		\$1,092.00



Chief Engineer  
Timothy Perry

Rutland Town Fire Department  
Officers & Firefighters

Chief Engineer – Timothy Perry

Assistant Chief – Chris Johnson

Captain – Stanley Rhodes III

Captain – Edwin Clough

Lieutenant – Paul Williams

Lieutenant – Michael Gould

Brian Abbey  
Aron Adamsen  
Charles Bizzarro  
Mike Bruce  
Matt Chase  
Christopher Clark  
Timothy Clark  
Robert Coolidge  
Joseph Denardo  
Nicholas Denardo  
Bruce Egan  
John P Faignant  
\* Anthony Flory  
\* John Flory, Jr  
\* Rodney Gallipo  
Rodney Gallipo, Jr  
Richard Goodrich  
Russell Goodrich – clerk  
Byron Hathaway  
Steve Hawley  
Todd Kellogg  
Robert Larosse



\* Raymond McCarthy  
Daniel McCarthy  
Dean McKirryher  
Richard McKirryher  
\* Ronald McKirryher  
Adam Pockette  
Steve Pulling  
David Ricard  
Craig Robideau  
Louis Rousseau  
Robert Schlachter  
John Sly  
Alyson Stein  
Melvin Stein  
William Sweet  
\* Richard Thomas, Jr  
Tom Tumielewicz  
David Waterhouse  
Clifford Young

\* Charter Member

My most sincere "Thank You" to the Officers and Firefighters for their hard work and deep devotion to the Town of Rutland and its' Fire Department. I also wish to thank all residents and taxpayers of Rutland Town for their help in making the Rutland Town Fire Department the great organization it is today.

In November 1998 the Vermont E911 system became operational statewide. While this system is not yet 100% accurate, it is a great resource for you the taxpayer and we the Fire Department in assisting you in your hour of need. The RTFD fire phone number 773-2565 will still be available and answered in the future. We at RTFD wish to thank Town Administrative Assistant Joe Zingale (and others) for the hundreds of hours spent making sure that Rutland Town was prepared to go on line when the system became functional in November.

On October 28, 1998 the RTFD celebrated its 30th anniversary. During those thirty years new equipment has come and gone, policies and procedures have changed, dispatching has gone from residents calling a list of firefighters to respond to the modern county dispatch group at the VSP barracks on McKinley Ave, but, six of our present firefighters have stayed and grown with the fire department. We also have six firefighters with 25 or more years of experience. What an invaluable asset these men are to our Fire Department and to our town.

During the past year both stations have had modern insulated windows installed to replace the old cracked, loose, antique steel cased windows installed all those years ago. We have purchased six new ultralite MSA air packs to replace the old heavy out of date units. Engine 1 has gone for a new body to replace the old rusted out body purchased well over 20 years ago.

If any town resident wishes to stop by on Wednesday night at either station to view your fire department, or to join the department, please feel free to.

THANK YOU !!!

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

Tim Perry, Chief  
Rutland Town Fire Dept.

## *In Memorium*



RICHARD "DICK" SPICER  
CHIEF OF THE RUTLAND TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT  
January 9, 1968 - January 5, 1972

Rutland Town Fire Department  
Annual Fire Alarm Report  
01/01/98 – 12/31/98

Alarm #	Date	Location	Situation Found
98-001	01/01/98	Rte. 4 Bypass	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-002	01/05/98	Rte. 3 Center Rutland	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-003	01/08/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-004	01/11/98	Tuttle Law Print – Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-005	01/13/98	Rte. 4 East	Report of Smoke – unfounded
98-006	01/14/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-007	01/15/98	Best Western/ Hogge Penny	Structure Fire
98-008	01/17/98	Tuttle Law Print – Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-009	01/19/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-010	01/19/98	US Samica – Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-011	01/21/98	Stratton Rd & Cold River Rd.	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-012	01/22/98	Green Mt. Shopping Plaza	Hazardous Materials Spill
98-013	01/24/98	MetroMail – Seward Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-014	01/26/98	Simons Ave Center Rutland	Person on Fire
98-015	01/26/98	Intersection of Rte 4 & 7	Motor Vehicle Accident /w injuries
98-016	01/26/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-017	01/31/98	Business Rte 4	Hazardous Materials Spill
98-018	02/02/98	US Samica – Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-019	02/04/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-020	02/06/98	U-Haul Rte 7 South	Report of smoke – unfounded
98-021	02/06/98	Thrifty Car Rental	Hazardous Materials Call
98-022	02/06/98	N. Main St. Rutland City	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-023	02/07/98	Rte 4 East	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-024	02/07/98	Heather Lane	Hazardous Condition
98-025	02/11/98	Tuttle Law Print – Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-026	02/13/98	Creek Road – Billings Farm	Structure Fire
98-027	02/14/98	Tuttle Law Print – Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-028	02/16/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-029	02/18/98	Howard Johnson Motor Inn	Malicious False Alarm
98-030	02/18/98	Rte 4 Bypass	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-031	02/21/98	Diamond Run Mall	Structure Fire
98-032	02/24/98	Town Line Road	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-033	02/24/98	Rte 3 Center Rutland	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-034	02/24/98	Rutland City	Mutual Aid – Structure Fire
98-035	03/01/98	The Meadows – Gleason Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-036	03/03/98	US Samica – Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-037	03/09/98	Intersection of Rte 4 & 3	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-038	03/16/98	Tuttle Law Print - Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-039	03/17/98	Metro Mail - Seward Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-040	03/18/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-041	03/27/98	Rutland Plywood	Sawdust Trailer Fire
98-042	03/30/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-043	03/31/98	Diamond Run Mall	Propane Vaporizer Malfunction
98-044	03/31/98	Rte 7 North & Post Rd.	Vehicle Fire – unfounded
98-045	04/01/98	US Samica - Windcrest Rd	Unintentional False Alarm
98-046	04/02/98	Chasanna Drive – Willis residence	Structure Fire
98-047	04/02/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-048	04/07/98	Holiday Inn	Unintentional False Alarm
98-049	04/08/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-050	04/08/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Structure Fire
98-051	04/10/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident

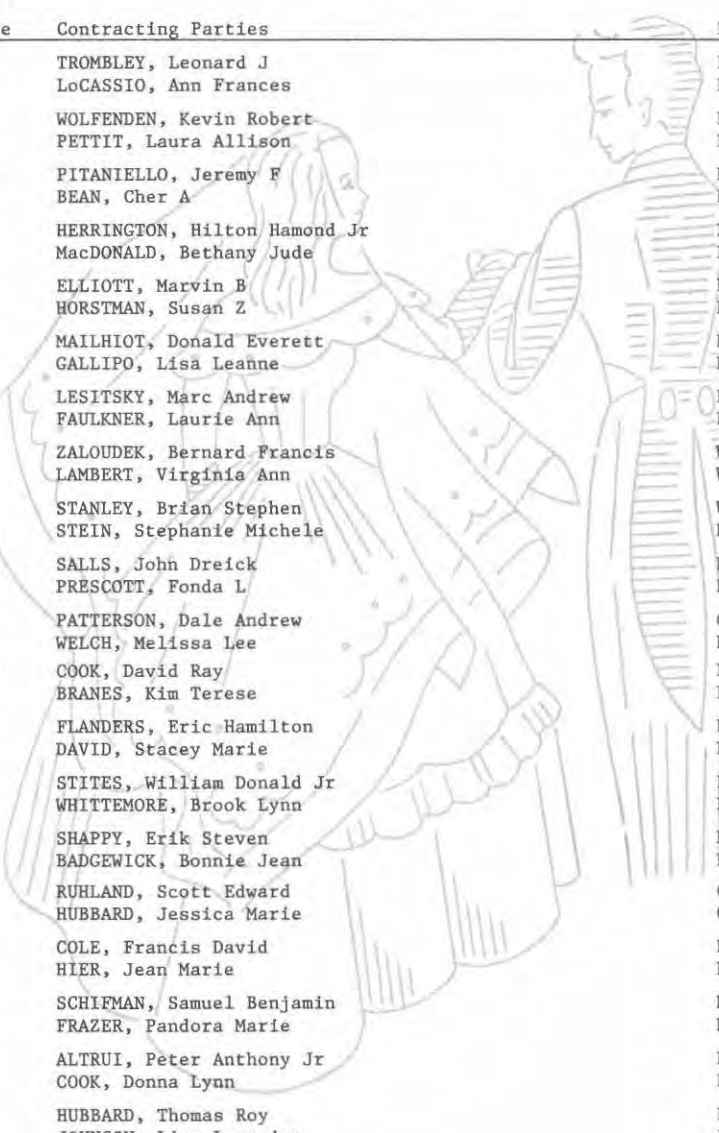


98-052	04/11/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-053	04/14/98	Green Mt. Shopping Plaza	Outside Spill w/ Fire – LP gas
98-054	04/14/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-055	04/16/98	Country Side Estates	Outside Burning Complaint
98-056	04/18/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-057	04/23/98	GE Windcrest Rd.	Structure Fire
98-058	04/25/98	Green Mt. Shopping Plaza	LP Gas Leak – No fire
98-059	04/28/98	GE Ranbury Road	Unintentional False Alarm
98-060	04/29/98	Rte 4	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-061	04/29/98	The Meadows - Gleason Rd	Unintentional False Alarm
98-062	05/02/98	Rte 4	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-063	05/02/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-064	05/04/98	Town Line Road	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-065	05/06/98	Rte 7 North	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-066	05/06/98	Holiday Inn	Structure Fire
98-067	05/10/98	CVPS - Post Rd	Electrical Fire in Sub Station
98-068	05/14/98	Howard Johnson Motor Inn	Unintentional False Alarm
98-069	05/15/98	Rte 7 North	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-070	05/16/98	Patricia Lane – Rosenberg	Structure Fire
98-071	05/16/98	Rte 7 South - N. Clarendon	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-072	05/17/98	North Grove Street	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-073	05/24/98	Rte 7 North	Vehicle Fire
98-074	05/29/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-075	05/29/98	Rte 7 South - N. Clarendon	Powerline Fire
98-076	06/02/98	Rte 4	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-077	06/02/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-078	06/02/98	Rutland Town School	Special Service - Observe Fire Drill
98-079	06/08/98	Intersection of Rte 4 & 3	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-080	06/08/98	Intersection of Rte 4 & 3	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-081	06/14/98	GE - Windcrest Road	Unintentional False Alarm
98-082	06/16/98	Mutual Aid Rutland City	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-083	06/17/98	Rte 4 East	Powerline fire
98-084	06/19/98	Rte 7 North	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-085	06/23/98	Rutland Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-086	06/24/98	Rutland Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-087	06/25/98	Tuttle Law Print - Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-088	07/02/98	Rte 4 - Nordic Motel	Trash/Rubbish Fire
98-089	07/02/98	Crossman Dr. - Nugent residence	Structure Fire
98-090	07/04/98	23 Campbell Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-091	07/05/98	Chasanna Dr. - Young residence	Trash/ Rubbish Fire
98-092	07/08/98	Rutland Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-093	07/08/98	Holiday Inn	Unintentional False Alarm
98-094	07/09/98	GE - Randbury Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-095	07/13/98	Rte 4 East	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ injuries
98-096	07/15/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-097	07/16/98	Sofa's & More - Rte 4	Unintentional False Alarm
98-098	07/16/98	Sofa's & More - Rte 4	Unintentional False Alarm
98-099	07/17/98	CVPS - Post Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-100	07/20/98	North Grove St.	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-101	07/25/98	Prospect Hill - Thomas residence	Unintentional False Alarm
98-102	07/27/98	Rte 7 South	Vehicle Fire
98-103	07/28/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Structure Fire
98-104	07/29/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-105	07/31/98	Rte 4 East	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-106	07/31/98	Metro Mail - Seward Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-107	08/10/98	Suburban Propane - Randbury Rd.	Vehicle Fire

98-108	08/12/98	Rte 3 - Dickenson Farm	Electrical Fire
98-109	08/14/98	Diamond Run Mall	Electrical Fire
98-110	08/15/98	CVPS - Post Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-111	08/15/98	Rte 7 North	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-112	08/19/98	Post Rd. & Rte 7	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-113	08/19/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-114	08/26/98	Rutland Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-115	09/02/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-116	09/02/98	Howard Johnson's Motor Inn	Unintentional False Alarm
98-117	09/02/98	Howard Johnson's Motor Inn	Unintentional False Alarm
98-118	09/07/98	GE - Randbury Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-119	09/09/98	The Meadows - Gleason Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-120	09/13/98	Rocking Horse Store - Rte 4	Unintentional False Alarm
98-121	09/14/98	Tuttle Law Print - Quality Ln.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-122	09/16/98	Post Rd. & Rte 7	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-123	09/21/98	Rte 4	Vehicle Fire
98-124	09/22/98	GE - Randbury Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-125	09/22/98	Rutland Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-126	09/22/98	Tamarack Ln. - Kelly residence	Unintentional False Alarm
98-127	09/28/98	North Grove St.	Powerline fire
98-128	09/28/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Structure Fire
98-129	09/30/98	Old Falls Rd. - Mangan residence	Hazardous Materials Call
98-130	10/01/98	Rte 7 North	Powerline Fire
98-131	10/01/98	Carris Reels	Unintentional False Alarm
98-132	10/02/98	Ponderosa Restaurant	Hazardous Materials - Fuel Spill
98-133	10/03/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-134	10/03/98	Howard Johnson's Motor Inn	Electrical Fire
98-135	10/08/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-136	10/10/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-137	10/10/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-138	10/14/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-139	10/17/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-140	10/18/98	Train Tracks behind Carris Reels	Unattended Fire
98-141	10/19/98	Rte 4	Powerline Fire
98-142	10/23/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Structure Fire
98-143	10/24/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-144	10/25/98	Diamond Run Mall	Vehicle Fire
98-145	10/25/98	Rutland Mall	LP Gas Leak - no fire
98-146	10/26/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Structure Fire
98-147	10/26/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-148	10/26/98	Belock Drive	Outside Burning Complaint
98-149	11/10/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-150	11/17/98	East Pittsford Rd.	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-151	11/20/98	9 Campbell Road	Unintentional False Alarm
98-152	11/20/98	Rte 4	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-153	11/21/98	Rte 4	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-154	11/21/98	Rte 7	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-155	11/22/98	Diamond Run Mall	Malicious False Alarm
98-156	11/22/98	Rte 4	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-157	11/25/98	Diamond Run Mall	Vehicle Fire
98-158	11/28/98	Rte 7	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries
98-159	11/30/98	Green Mountain Shopping Plaza	Hazardous Materials Call- fuel spill
98-160	12/02/98	U-Haul - Rte 7	Unintentional False Alarm
98-161	12/02/98	Rte 3 - Dickinson Farm	Structure Fire
98-162	12/02/98	Rte 4	Brush Fire
98-163	12/02/98	Rte 7 North	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Injuries

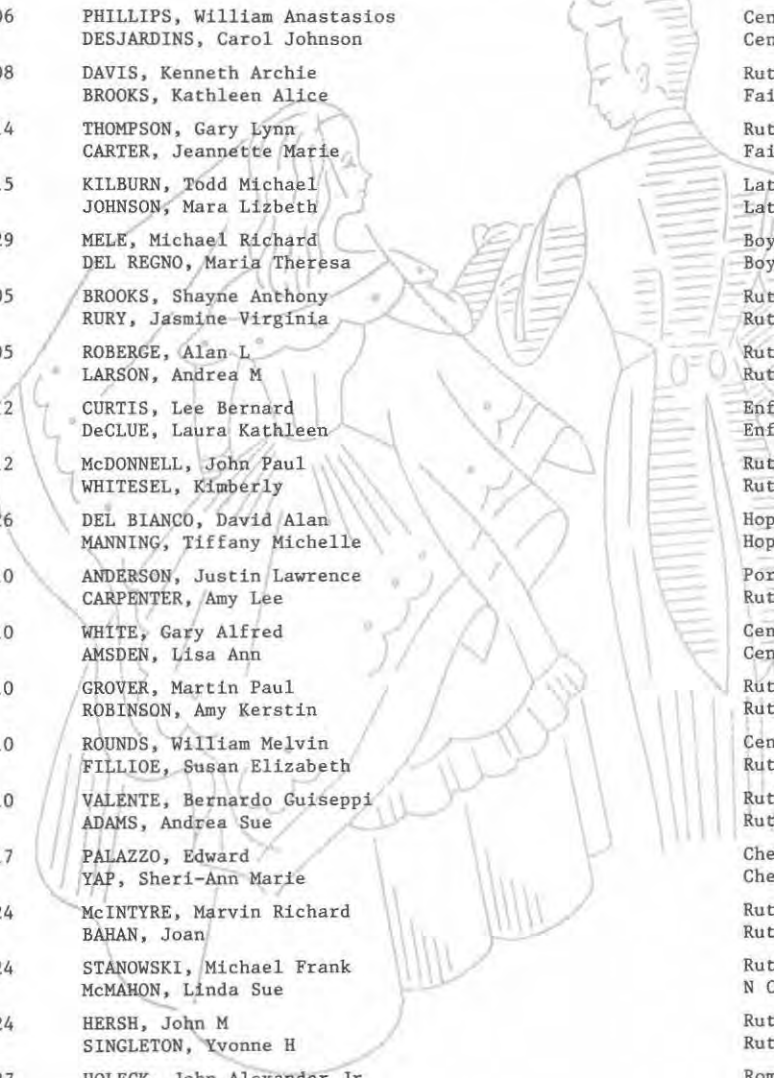
98-164	12/03/98	Rutland Mall	Electrical Fire
98-165	12/13/98	Diamond Run Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-166	12/14/98	Post RD - Tall residence	Structure Fire
98-167	12/18/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-168	12/20/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident
98-169	12/21/98	Simonds Ave	Vehicle Fire
98-170	12/22/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-171	12/22/98	GE - Windcrest Rd.	Unintentional False Alarm
98-172	12/22/98	68 Simonds Ave	Hazardous Materials Call
98-173	12/24/98	Adell Stanley Apartments	Electrical Fire
98-174	12/24/98	Rte 7 South	Motor Vehicle Accident w/ Fire
98-175	12/27/98	Rutland Mall	Unintentional False Alarm
98-176	12/28/98	Green Mountain Plaza	LP gas leak - no fire
98-177	12/29/98	Howard Johnson's Motor Inn	Unintentional False Alarm

## MARRIAGES

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RUTLAND, VERMONT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998


Date of Marriage	Contracting Parties	Residence
Jan 24	TROMBLEY, Leonard J LoCASSIO, Ann Frances	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Feb 07	WOLFENDEN, Kevin Robert PETTIT, Laura Allison	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Feb 09	PITANIELLO, Jeremy F BEAN, Cher A	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Feb 10	HERRINGTON, Hilton Hamond Jr MacDONALD, Bethany Jude	Providence RI Providence RI
Feb 14	ELLIOTT, Marvin B HORSTMAN, Susan Z	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Mar 11	MAILHIOT, Donald Everett GALLIPO, Lisa Leanne	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Mar 31	LESITSKY, Marc Andrew FAULKNER, Laurie Ann	Bay Village OH Bay Village OH
May 07	ZALOUDEK, Bernard Francis LAMBERT, Virginia Ann	W Warwick RI W Warwick RI
May 24	STANLEY, Brian Stephen STEIN, Stephanie Michele	West Rutland Rutland Town
Jun 06	SALLS, John Dreick PRESCOTT, Fonda L	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Jun 30	PATTERSON, Dale Andrew WELCH, Melissa Lee	Gaspe, Quebec Rutland Town
Jul 03	COOK, David Ray BRANES, Kim Terese	Lamar CO Lamar CO
Jul 11	FLANDERS, Eric Hamilton DAVID, Stacey Marie	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Jul 11	STITES, William Donald Jr WHITTEMORE, Brook Lynn	Bedminster NJ Bedminster NJ
Jul 11	SHAPPY, Erik Steven BADGEWICK, Bonnie Jean	Rutland Town Poultney VT
Jul 18	RUHLAND, Scott Edward HUBBARD, Jessica Marie	Charlotte NC Charlotte NC
Jul 20	COLE, Francis David HIER, Jean Marie	Rutland Town Rutland City
Jul 24	SCHIFMAN, Samuel Benjamin FRAZER, Pandora Marie	Northampton MA Northampton MA
Jul 25	ALTRUI, Peter Anthony Jr COOK, Donna Lynn	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Aug 01	HUBBARD, Thomas Roy JOHNSON, Lisa Lorraine	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Aug 01	MAHAR, Ryan Patrick DURFEE, Ann Marie	Rutland Town Rutland Town

## VITAL STATISTICS - MARRIAGES (CONT'D)



Aug 06	PHILLIPS, William Anastasios DESJARDINS, Carol Johnson	Center Rutland Center Rutland
Aug 08	DAVIS, Kenneth Archie BROOKS, Kathleen Alice	Rutland Town Fair Haven VT
Aug 14	THOMPSON, Gary Lynn CARTER, Jeannette Marie	Rutland Town Fair Haven VT
Aug 15	KILBURN, Todd Michael JOHNSON, Mara Lizbeth	Latham NY Latham NY
Aug 29	MELE, Michael Richard DEL REGNO, Maria Theresa	Boylston MA Boylston MA
Sep 05	BROOKS, Shayne Anthony RURY, Jasmine Virginia	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Sep 05	ROBERGE, Alan L LARSON, Andrea M	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Sep 12	CURTIS, Lee Bernard DeCLUE, Laura Kathleen	Enfield CT Enfield CT
Sep 12	McDONNELL, John Paul WHITESEL, Kimberly	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Sep 26	DEL BIANCO, David Alan MANNING, Tiffany Michelle	Hopedale MA Hopedale MA
Oct 10	ANDERSON, Justin Lawrence CARPENTER, Amy Lee	Portland ME Rutland Town
Oct 10	WHITE, Gary Alfred AMSDEN, Lisa Ann	Center Rutland Center Rutland
Oct 10	GROVER, Martin Paul ROBINSON, Amy Kerstin	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Oct 10	ROUNDS, William Melvin FILLIOE, Susan Elizabeth	Center Rutland Rutland City
Oct 10	VALENTE, Bernardo Guiseppi ADAMS, Andrea Sue	Rutland Town Rutland City
Oct 17	PALAZZO, Edward YAP, Sheri-Ann Marie	Chelmsford MA Chelmsford MA
Oct 24	McINTYRE, Marvin Richard BAHAN, Joan	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Oct 24	STANOWSKI, Michael Frank McMAHON, Linda Sue	Rutland Town N Clarendon VT
Oct 24	HERSH, John M SINGLETON, Yvonne H	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Nov 27	HOLECK, John Alexander Jr HOWELL, Michelle Lee	Rome NY Rome NY

BIRTHS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RUTLAND, VERMONT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Name of Mother
1997				
Jun 28	ERICKSON, Chad Michael	M		ERICKSON, Connie Sue
Jul 07	MAILHIOT, Amy Patricia	F	MAILHIOT, Donald Everett	GALLIPO, Lisa Leanne
1998				
Jan 11	STEWART, Zachary William	M	STEWART, Peter W Jr	NAGELL, Amanda Faith
Jan 14	BILLINGS, Avery Michael	M	BILLINGS, Jeffrey Leeds	REILLY, Maureen Susan
Jan 21	LEE, Jarrod Michael	M	LEE, Corey Edward	FAVOR, Carolyn June
Feb 06	GRAVES, Kylie Elisabeth	F	GRAVES, Jeffery Thomas	KILLARY, Heather Ann
Feb 06	MONTROSS, Cody Scott	M	MONTROSS, Scott William	SMITH, Lisa Lee
Apr 01	SAWYER, Zachary Allen	M	SAWYER, Christopher Allen	ACKLEY, Geri Ann
Apr 14	HOCENKAMP, Abigail Marie	F	HOCENKAMP, Peter Karl	SAYLES, Lisa Marie
May 06	BAILEY, Brandon Christopher	M	BAILEY, Christopher Charles	GOULD, Kimberley Ann
May 08	MCCONNELL, Michael Craig	M	MCCONNELL, Robert Craig	PARK, Lisa Rene
May 29	GOODELL, Kelsey Alexis	F	GOODELL, Brian Glenn	ALLEN, Kimberly Anne
Jun 13	TOLPA, Alyssa Lynne	F	TOLPA, Joseph Andrew Jr	HOPKINS, Patricia Lynne
Aug 19	RICARD, Kendra Lea	F	RICARD, David Peter Jr	KORONA, Amber Hope
Aug 20	GARDYNE, Jenna McKenzie	F	GARDYNE, David John	SMIEL, Sandra Lori
Aug 26	DUPREY, Sarah Collette	F	DUPREY, Christopher Joseph	EDDY, Lisa Anne
Aug 31	BONN, Joshua Harry	M	BONN, Michael Regis	TODD, Rebecca Holley
Aug 31	BONN, Hoah Todd	M	BONN, Michael Regis	TODD, Rebecca Holley
Sep 18	GARROW, Bethany Marie	F	GARROW, Gerald J	McMAHON, Jennifer M
Nov 23	DRINWATER, Clay Andrew	M	DRINWATER, John Michael	PALMER, Susan Lee

D E A T H S  
DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RUTLAND, VERMONT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998

Date of Death	Name of Decedent	Sex	Age	Residence
Jan 27	TUMIELEWICZ, Vitold Stanley	M	79	Center Rutland
Feb 14	SHORTSLEEVE, Harold	M	78	Rutland Town
Feb 25	THORPE, Irene	F	81	Center Rutland
Mar 02	CRAGIN, John Joseph Jr	M	62	Rutland Town
Mar 18	GALLO, Stella	F	82	Rutland Town
Mar 24	KOLLMER, Helen	F	75	Rutland Town
Mar 30	WHITE, Jean Mary	F	50	Rutland Town
Mar 30	SHEROWSKI, Henry Ralph	M	84	Center Rutland
Apr 21	SPAFFORD, Alice E	F	80	Rutland Town
Apr 24	CZACHOR, Theresa A	F	67	Center Rutland
Apr 26	SHACKETT, Joyce Ann	F	64	Center Rutland
May 02	SPRAGUE, Verna Hawley	F	84	Rutland Town
May 17	WHITEHORNE, John	M	29	Pittsfield VT
May 17	SMITH, Stacey L	F	24	Pittsfield VT
May 25	FREEBORN, Virginia B	F	84	Rutland Town
Jun 18	ARONSON, Ruth L	F	91	The Meadows
Jun 25	LUNDELL, Marie Warn	F	86	Rutland Town
Jun 27	FISH, Joseph Nightengale	M	81	Rutland Town
Jul 05	SCHMIDT, Donald Perry	M	70	Rutland Town
Aug 04	SILISKI, Joseph Jr	M	65	Rutland Town
Aug 31	HEINSON, Elizabeth K	F	55	Rutland Town
Sep 11	DAUPHINAIS, Robert E	M	45	Rutland Town
Sep 13	VALENTE, Basilio	M	68	Center Rutland
Sep 23	GUNN, Alan Richard MD	M	47	Center Rutland
Sep 27	BROWN, Arthur D	M	91	Rutland Town
Sep 31	TORRES, Terry Paul	M	31	Rutland City
Oct 22	ALLEN, Bobby Eugene	M	60	Rutland Town
Oct 24	ORVIS, Joseph David Jr	M	30	Rutland City
Oct 29	BEAN, Barbara M	F	75	Adele Stanley Apts
Oct 29	WOOLWITCH, Harry C	M	97	The Meadows
Oct 30	HOLMES, Hazel Kathryn	F	96	The Meadows
Nov 10	SPICER, Richard LeRoy	M	71	Rutland Town
Dec 18	MYERS, Henry Franklin	M	84	Rutland Town
Dec 21	EELS, Adelen De Cicco	F	82	Rutland Town



### CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Byron R Hathaway, Rachael Williams, George J Livak

#### CHENEY HILL CEMETERY ASSOCIATION Annual Report

The annual meeting of the Association was held with the following officers elected:

Chairman	Byron R Hathaway
Vice-Chairman	Rachel Williams
Secretary	George J Livak

Many thanks to Tony Flory and Rachel Williams for their work mowing and caring for the Old Cemetery in Center Rutland and the Cheney Hill Cemetery off Pinnacle Ridge Road respectively. We also are planning to plant more shrubs along the driveway and to repair the old fence along the East side of the cemetery which did not get done last year.

There were some concerns this year about the availability of water at the cemetery for watering plants. It has been a difficult task to keep the pitcher pump working properly due to the leather packings drying out. We would like to remedy this situation and provide convenient water service for those who use the cemetery. I would like to hear from anyone with comments or suggestions.

There were two (2) burials this year.

Lot prices are currently \$200 for full size lots and \$75 for cremation lots. An increase in lot prices for 1999 has yet to be determined. For information about lots, contact Byron R Hathaway at 775-2624.

There were 6 regular and 2 small lots sold this year. This brings the perpetual account principal to \$34,975.00

Respectfully submitted

BYRON R HATHAWAY, Chairman  
RACHEL WILLIAMS, Vice-Chairman  
GEORGE J LIVAK, Secretary



## RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

- Permits have been secured for our expansion on the project at Northwood. Construction should be underway sometime this summer.
- Team sports again this year were well attended, with the addition of another girls' Soccer and Basketball Team, and one new Little League Team.
- As this goes to print our Youth Hunter Safety Course should be underway.
- Look for Swimming & Tennis signups this April 1<sup>st</sup>. Notices will go home with students from school and will be posted in the Rutland Herald.
- We would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest members Shelly Hendee, Steve Hawley, and James Shortle. It goes without mention that without our volunteer coaches and helpers, we would not have the program the youth in our town enjoy so much. Thank you.
- Also special thanks to the PTO parents that helped with our Halloween party and we hope to see you again this fall.
- The Recreation Commission also would like to thank all the students, who helped with our Saturday morning soccer program.

### RECREATION FACILITIES

Dewey Field  
 Northwood Pool & Park  
 Tennis/Basketball Courts at Dewey & Northwood  
 Also use of the Rutland Town School Gym

### RECREATION PROGRAMS

Baseball  
 Basketball  
 Soccer  
 Swim Lessons  
 Tennis Lessons  
 Halloween Party

### RECREATION COMMISSION

Ernest M Cioffi  
 Larry DellVeneri  
 Edward E Dumas II  
 Samuel F Fucile, Chair  
 Steven E Hawley  
 Shelly P Hendee  
 James R Shortle

## LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Representative - Steve Howard

First, I would like to thank the people of Rutland Town who supported me in four (4) contested elections allowing me to represent my home town in the House of Representatives for 6 years. It is an experience I will cherish the rest of my life.

Second, I would like to explain why I believe Act 60 is good for Rutland Town and for the State of Vermont. The positive aspects of this law aren't often mentioned because it is mostly helpful to the middle class and the poor, the least powerful of our citizens. These folks have always been my priority.

Act 60 reduces taxes for the income poor and those with moderate incomes - income levels of less than \$47,000 and less than \$75,000 in household income annually. Even if the local reappraisal resulted in a larger tax burden because of a higher assessment, the resulting tax increase would be reduced by Act 60's income sensitive elements. In recessionary times, people with higher incomes today may benefit from income sensitivity should their incomes fall.

Rutland Town has a grand list that is 53% non-residential. That means Act 60 requires more from GE, the Diamond Run Mall and households with greater income levels and assessments. For the business community, their actual increase is less than what is reported by the tax bill, given the fact that we removed the inventory and equipment tax in this new law. I point to the recent expansion at GE and the millions of dollars of new development in Sherburne as indicators that the additional tax funds for educating children haven't been overly burdensome. You have to keep in mind that whatever was to happen or will happen this session, the old system Rutland Town had for taxation isn't going to return regardless of the fact that it was beneficial to us. Twice the Supreme Court rejected our system, first locally than on a Statewide basis. I chose to find a law unlike any plan ever proposed in the 6 years I have served that would reflect the fact that Rutland Town had poor and moderate income residents, even if we had some very wealthy ones and a great deal of property wealth. Act 60 makes sure those at the bottom are protected to the greatest extent possible. In short, it was the best offer on the table and there weren't ever any better in the 6 years I served. Change was coming and one simply couldn't pretend that it wasn't even if it would have been politically expedient.

Our economy will grow faster and stronger because of Act 60. Recently, IDX Corporation in South Burlington, a property wealthy community, announced the addition of 1,000 new high wage jobs according to the CEO, because of the benefits of Act 60. The cost of doing business in Vermont for the majority of our State went down by millions of dollars and consumers gained disposable income from falling tax burdens. Regional cooperation to grow the economy is now more feasible. Act 60 will help our schools meet the growing demand for highly skilled workers. If our economy in Vermont improves as it has and will because of Act 60, it benefits Rutland Town and that is in no small measure an important reason why I support this law.

Rutland Town does have an added burden. We have to work harder to pass our school budget just as every other community in the State does. We would be foolish to pretend we can't afford to continue to provide the level of education we have to our children while contributing to the enhancement of children in every community. The numbers speak for themselves. Our grand list is greater, our income levels are higher, the average value home is greater than most communities in the State. We have found a way to protect our vulnerable while contributing to an enhanced level of skill and opportunity for all of our children. We can afford Act 60, not every resident, but as a community, we can. Grassroots organizing to pass the budget works. We saw this in the last vote and I have experienced that in 4 elections. Let's all help to make schools everywhere our priority.

Act 60 is a morally right thing. Children do not choose their plight. They should not be denied equal educational opportunity based on their parental or community wealth. Just as children were guaranteed protection in landmark civil rights rulings of the United States Supreme Court, *Brown v Board of Education* and so on, so, too, are Vermont's children by *Brigham v State of Vermont*.

Thank you again for the honor of serving you, and may you and your families be blessed with good health and good fortune.

Your neighbor

STEVE HOWARD

## Rutland Free Library Association, Inc. ANNUAL REPORT, 1997-98

A walk in the woods for a hiker reveals seed pods, rocks, tree roots – forest life close up. When the hiker reaches a summit the view is altered: the pattern of the landscape begins to emerge. A view from the plane overhead and pictures snapped from space capsules provide what is obscured from our human scale perspective.

And so it is with the activities the library has undertaken in this year. Singular events, when seen from afar, reveal a pattern of library response to a changing community. These changes, individually, might seem unremarkable, but indicate a slow, inexorable shift in the requirements of our local population. The evolutionary changes reflect, in large part, the increasing pace in the lives of our patrons and library users.

Two arenas of growth in library outreach provide particularly clear examples: 1) our efforts to reach and work with children and their parents and 2) our efforts to help people cope with the increasing presence of computers and information saturation that threatens to swamp them.

The first of these, the children, has been addressed in several new ways: daycare providers are able to pick up pre-packaged theme bags, filled with books; daycare providers can have a library storyhour person come to their site; we worked with RSVP on their *Rutland Reads!* initiative and assisted with the Mother Goose series for new parents in Clarendon. In addition to these outreach efforts we re-worked the picture book room to make it easier and more user-friendly for parents on the go, including targeted displays and lists of good books on special topics such as death.

Technology at the library remains a tool, not the goal, but as more patrons use the Internet and clamor for training, we have responded in several ways, building on work of previous years: we were the first public location of a short-lived local databank, *Community 2000*; we have set up our own homepage at (<http://rutlandhs.k12.vt.us/rutlandfree/rflhome.htm>) where programs are listed, board policies are posted, and numerous links to helpful web sites have been inserted. We also set up free Internet classes, which were steadily filled all winter and which will resume again in the fall.

These efforts, along with the support of an emerging tiny library in Tinmouth and our continued computer linkage with Rutland Public Schools, indicate our commitment to helping readers and information seekers in the newly evolving ways they seem to be requiring. But throughout all of this work this past year we have tried to maintain the focus on reading and the reader. The board continued its fundraising work for more books, we sold tee-shirts to finance the support of reading programs for children, we ran a successful mother-daughter book discussion, continued adult programming and answered over 17,000 reference questions.

In short, more of our services are coming in new ways, many of them now out of the building. In the coming year the board and staff will be taking a closer look at our mission and goals to insure that the library remains responsive and flexible to changing patterns of community use and need.

Over 151,145 people used the library this year; the number of library card holders increased to 15,934; the Fox Room was used 360 times for library programs and by clubs and organizations, with attendance totals of 7,441 people coming to programs. The number of books circulated was 185,187, an average of 3,561 each week. Reference librarians answered 17,850 reference, research and referral questions in the past twelve months.

The library is a private non-profit corporation supported in large part by taxes (71% of our total operating budge) from the communities of Rutland City, Rutland Town, Mendon, Ira and Tinmouth. Trustees from these communities represent the concerns of the supporting towns. Daily operations are maintained by a hard-working staff, who have served an average of 12.4 years at the library and by 21 volunteers who contributed 2,101 hours of service last year. All of these efforts are further supported by and extended with the help of the Friends of the Rutland Free Library, who raise extra funds and help with programming work.

#### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Mike McCormack, *President*

Gerry Carbine, *VP*

Susan Mackey, *Secretary* Tinmouth

Thomas Egan, *Treasurer* Ira

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Paula Baker, *Director*

RUTLAND FREE LIBRARY ASSOC. INC.  
 Report of the Treasurer  
 July 1, 1997 - June 30, 1998

Cash on Hand 7/1/97

188.82

RECEIPTS:

Appropriations

City of Rutland	386,831.00
Town of Rutland	68,421.00
Mendon	8,125.00
Ira	1,150.00
Tinmouth	1,226.00
Endowment Funds	127,124.61
Fees	51,877.03
Other Inside Income	8,171.02
Fund Raising	8,408.50
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661,334.16

\$661,522.98

DISBURSEMENTS:

Books	56,138.09
Periodicals	14,347.83
Software	8,258.92
Videos & Cassettes	4,471.59
Fox Room Programming	9,924.40
Salaries & Wages	347,050.11
Employee Benefits	103,435.51
Supplies & Services	53,233.05
Building Maintenance	38,587.96
Public Relations	1,732.33
Security	4,908.75
Restricted Funds	18,863.24
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660,951.78

Bank Balance 6/30/98  
 Petty Cash 6/30/98

471.20

100.00

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\$661,522.98

Respectfully submitted

Thomas Egan, Treasurer



#### TOWN PLANNING COMMISSION

Front Row: Marcia Cioffi, Anthony Belock, George Livak

Back Row: William Corey, Robert Dombro, Richard Hoenes

Missing from Photo: J Barry Burke, Charles Brothers, Christopher Oakman

#### RUTLAND TOWN PLANNING COMMISSION

In 1998, the Planning Commission worked on renewing the Town Plan with the Consultant from the Rutland Regional Planning Commission, updating statistics and data. Due to the workload on the new Town Plan, more time will be needed to extend into the year 1999.

The Commission then moved to re-adopt our old Town Plan with minor land use changes to districts along Route 7 North.

A Public Hearing was held on December 3, 1998 at the Rutland Town Hall. The Plan will be forwarded to the Select Board for a hearing.

The Planning Commission was also busy reviewing twelve (12) subdivisions with sketch, preliminary and final hearing creating 32 lots.

I would like to express to my fellow Commissioners for their dedication and sincere effort in the Town planning process...specifically, to thank Charles Brothers, Mary Ashcroft (resigned), Richard Hoenes Sr, J Barry Burke, George Livak, Christopher Oakman, William Corey, Robert Dombro and new member Marcia Chioffi. Also, Administrative Assistant Joe Zingale.

We encourage all interested Townspeople to attend Planning Commission meetings which are held the first and third Thursdays of every month.

The Planning Commission meets in the Town Municipal Building in Center Rutland.

Your comments and concerns will be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted

ANTHONY BELOCK, Chair

**ANNUAL REPORT - 1998**  
**RUTLAND REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION**

The Commission's Mission is to "provide leadership and technical expertise to encourage cooperative planning with and among the region's communities and area wide interests; and, strive to improve the quality of life for people in the region by promoting harmony between sustainable economic development, environmental interests and other planning issues."

In pursuit of that Mission, the Commission continued to work closely with the region's 27 communities to create a cooperative and positive planning process and:

- Provided technical assistance on planning and zoning issues to communities including Benson, Brandon, Clarendon, Castleton, Ira, Middletown Springs, Pittsford, Proctor, Poultney, Rutland Town, Rutland City, Tinmouth, Wallingford, West Haven and West Rutland;
- Assisted Rutland Town, West Rutland, Poultney, Mt. Holly, and Castleton successfully apply for funds through the Local Planning Assistance and Community Development Block Grant programs.
- Continued our very successful cooperative purchasing program and saved Brandon, Castleton, Pittsford, Wells, West Rutland, Hubbardton, Ira, Clarendon, Middletown Springs, Pawlet, Sherburne, Shrewsbury, Tinmouth, Wallingford, nonprofits and school districts substantial amounts on their fuel oil, diesel and gasoline;
- Worked with the Rutland Economic Development Corporation, and the Rutland Region Chamber of Commerce, on a regional strategy to better coordinate planning, economic development and travel and tourism activities;
- Continued support of the Rutland Region Transportation Council in their identification, prioritization, and timely implementation of projects to help solve transportation problems including those in Brandon and Pittsford and Route 7 in Rutland City;
- Continued providing maps and other data using our geographic information system which helps local decision making;
- Continued support of the Rutland Region Education Alliance in their work to improve education and training in the Rutland Region and to insure that all students are prepared for their roles in the community and the workplace.

Please join us as we continue these and other efforts to generate regional cooperation and make planning in Rutland County a truly grassroots process.

For the eleventh consecutive year, dues will remain at \$500. All communities are voting members of the Commission regardless of whether or not they pay dues. Dues paying members receive discounted technical services and are able to participate in the cooperative fuel purchasing program.



Rutland Economic Development Corporation  
Annual Report of Activities 1998

REDC continues to focus on job creation, business retention and economic development in Rutland County.

- REDC manages a county wide revolving loan fund of \$1.8 million targeted at stimulating job creation and business retention activities throughout the region. This year we changed our rate structure to 6% fixed for Development Fund loans and 9% fixed for Micro Fund requests.
- Since 1993, REDC has loaned \$1,790,383.00 to 36 start-up and existing businesses. As a result of these loans 197 new jobs were created and 492 jobs retained.
- From October 1, 1997 to June 30, 1998, we fielded 94 one-time business counseling calls. The Small Business Development Center (SBDC) has a current total of 143 clients counseled which is over 50% higher than the projected goal. Also, the Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE) has counseled over 65 start-up and existing businesses since October of 1997.
- We made new investments to foster the Airport Industrial Park's continued growth. The access road, now known as Innovation Drive, was resurfaced after we added critical infrastructure access to remaining lots. This year we obtained Act 250 permits for the Phase II expansion of the Park. We applied for and were chosen to receive a grant from Vermont Community Development Program (VCDP) to fund the infrastructure planning and engineering for Phase II. Completion of this project is anticipated for the spring of 1999. The seven tenants at our Airport Industrial Park employ approximately 310 people and occupy over 172,000 square feet of space. Two of the Park tenants are currently in an expansion phase.
- REDC has been instrumental in the public education of the restrictions on 53' trailers through Windsor County and will continue to be a voice on this issue. We are presently working to find long-term solutions.
- OMYA has been a quality employer in our region for more than 20 years. REDC is a strong supporter for OMYA's planned expansion in Florence. OMYA's need to expand and change in response to customer demand is a positive step for our regional economy. We will continue in this sort of role as the need arises.
- In 1998, we were also active at the state level advocating for new tax credits for business expansion and job creation. We look forward to working with local companies who are interested in applying for these powerful business tax incentives.
- REDC has also been active in finding solutions to the water system challenges in the Town of Castleton. We are working with town officials, companies and citizens affected by these challenges.
- During the past two years, REDC has worked with Nexus Custom Electronics in Brandon in their expansion efforts. Our objective is to retain the 125+ jobs.
- REDC is active with the Rutland Region Education Alliance. We are making a conscious effort to encourage improvements in workforce development and adult job skills training. Rapid change in the way we educate is essential to today's global economy.

Our principles are simple. We believe that a positive, supportive business climate allows our employers to remain globally competitive. This sort of environment is in the best interest of county residents and we will remain vigilant. We look forward to continuing our 61-year tradition of communication, dedication, and leadership.



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**Ronald J. Cioffi, Executive Director**  
**Mark Foley, President, Board of Directors**

### *Town of Rutland*

#### **TO THE TOWN MANAGER, OFFICERS AND CITIZENS OF RUTLAND.**

This past year can be summed up in two words:

#### ***Challenges and Opportunities.***

The challenges came as a result of the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 (BBA). The BBA has targeted home health services for a \$16 billion reduction over the next five years. For RAVNAH, this means a potential loss of nearly \$1 million of our \$4.5 million Medicare budget. This loss could jeopardize our mission of offering home and community health services for all. With our mission in jeopardy, our challenge is to achieve a balance between cost pressures and appropriate levels of quality care achieving optimum outcomes.

The challenges RAVNAH faces due to these cuts also represent an opportunity; an opportunity to view ourselves in a mirror and analyze our systems and operations. We have and will continue to improve our performance from the flow of paperwork to the delivery of services in the home. We also view these challenges as an opportunity to strengthen our partnership with patients, their families, and their physicians to achieve the highest quality care. We will re-emphasize the importance of becoming as independent as possible by teaching patients and their loved ones the skills necessary to manage and direct their own care. We are committed to working and advocating for those whom we have been given the honor of serving.

Despite the many challenges RAVNAH has faced, we are proud to report on a number of successes we have achieved. These successes include:

- the expansion of our Support Services Program
- the restructuring of our finance department
- continued development of our psychiatric nursing program
- expanded intake services for sister home health agencies
- the initiation of an Augmentative and Alternative Communication Clinic with our subsidiary organization Kids on the Move
- the development of a Consumer Advisory Committee
- the most successful Annual Fund in RAVNAH's history
- formation of an Interim Payment System (IPS) Task Force
- successful accreditation by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations (JCAHO)

In addition to the above mentioned accomplishments, RAVNAH has kept its promise to our community, a promise to provide medically necessary care to everyone, regardless of where they live or their ability to pay. We made this pact with the people of our community over fifty years ago and we intend to honor it.

We are extremely grateful for the town allocations, United Way funding, foundation grants and individual and corporate donations which have enabled us to continue offering medically necessary services and community programs to all Rutland residents, regardless of geographic location or individual ability to pay. During 1998 we provided 4,526 visits to 78 Rutland residents.

As a community, we are keeping people in their own homes, where they want to be, despite illness or disability. We strive to keep families together and maintain each patient's sense of dignity and independence. In doing this, we advance our mission far beyond our goals of quality care, affordability and universal access and we thank you, the Rutland community, for helping to make this possible.

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**Joint Commission**  
 on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations  
 A United Way Member Agency

## **RUTLAND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

Rutland Mental Health Services (d.b.a. Rutland Area Community Services) appreciates Rutland Town's support for local services which becomes more critical as we deal with changes in the way health care is provided, while consistently maintaining a high standard of quality.

Rutland Mental Health Services (RMHS) asks the citizens of Rutland Town to continue to support our services provided by the following programs:

- The Evergreen Center is a comprehensive mental health and substance abuse outpatient treatment center which serves children, adolescents and adults through a variety of programs provided by psychiatrists, social workers, psychologists, activity therapists, mental health counselors, nurses and drug and alcohol counselors.
- Community Access Program assists people with developmental disabilities in achieving their personal goals. Services are provided throughout Rutland County.

During the fiscal year 1998, Rutland Mental Health Services provided 78 hours of service to 10 Rutland Town area residents. RMHS provides comprehensive mental health and substance abuse treatment as well as services to developmentally disabled people. These services are provided regardless of ability to pay. Fees collected cover only a portion of the actual cost.

The generous financial support of towns such as Rutland Town assures that quality services will be available for their families, friends and neighbors. This year's request is for \$4,350.00. We invite you to contact our agency (775-8224) with any questions you may have.

Mark G. Monson  
President/Chief Executive Officer

Lawrence G. Jensen, Chairman  
Board of Directors



**Rutland County  
Women's Network  
& Shelter**

P.O. Box 313  
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**Business • 775-6788**  
**Crisis • 775-3232**

**RUTLAND COUNTY WOMEN'S NETWORK AND SHELTER  
ANNUAL REPORT 1998**

In 1998 our agency provided services to over 2800 people. We housed 66 families with 80 children with a total of 3000 shelter bed nights. Since our capacity has grown and we have two transitional apartments, we have been able to do more in depth work with families fleeing violence. We have been able to expand and place one of our advocates in both the Family Court and the District Court due to the needs of so many families for these services. The funds used to create the position of Court Advocate came from the Stop Violence Against Women part of the Federal Crime Bill. Women in Rutland County have needed this kind of advocacy for many years. Now that the program is in place, victims of the crime of domestic violence have a chance to prosecute their abuser.

We thank the voters of your town for their continued support of the shelter and the shelter programs. Without the support of all county towns, we would not have been able to provide effective programs for survivors and their children.

Respectfully,

Bonnie Gainer  
Director



**RETIRED SENIOR AND VOLUNTEER PROGRAM (RSVP)****REQUEST FOR TOWN FUNDING****TOWN OF: RUTLAND TOWN AMOUNT REQUESTED: \$670.00**

The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) is a nationwide program for people 55 and older who want to meet community needs through meaningful use of their skills, talents, interests and knowledge in volunteer service to non-profit organizations. Needs are met in critical areas such as human service, state and local government, drug and alcohol awareness programs, education, literacy, and the arts, just to name a few. RSVP involves seniors in service that matches their personal interests and makes use of their lifelong experiences. Through such efforts, RSVP is meeting the needs that strained local budgets cannot afford. Additionally, RSVP enables seniors to contribute to their communities and feel good about themselves through the rewarding experience of volunteering.

Locally, RSVP is the largest program of coordinated volunteer services serving the people of Rutland County with 523 volunteers. From July 1, 1997 through June 30, 1998, volunteers in Rutland County provided 37,000 hours of community service. The cost benefit to the communities of Rutland County in terms of cost of services provided equals \$300,000.

Once again this year RSVP is not asking for additional monies from the Town of Rutland. The monies we are requesting this year will be used to help defray costs of providing volunteer placements, support, insurance, transportation, and recognition. RSVP continues to strive to provide needed and supplemental services that enhance the quality of life for citizens of all ages throughout Rutland County.

Currently in Rutland Town, 34 volunteers donate their services to the following non-profit organizations: RRMC, BROCC, Headstart, Community Cupboard, area schools, Rutland Town School, Rutland Area Art Association, Eden Park Nursing Home, RSVP Goodtime Singers, Pleasant Manor Nursing Home, Godnick Senior Center, RSVP Rutland Senior Chorus, National Council of Senior Citizens, College of Saint Joseph, USDA Soil Conservation Agency, Rutland Area Community Services, One-2-One, Dismas House, Foster Grandparents, Advisory Council member, Genesis Elder Care, Northeast and Northwest Elementary Schools, South Vermont Council on Aging.

The volunteer services they provide include: knitting and sewing clothes for children, tutoring and mentoring in area schools, mailings, entertaining in the area nursing homes and schools, teaching and performing arts and crafts, greeting people at RRMC and providing information at the front desk, clerical assistance, delivering and preparing meals, driving for elders and the disabled, presenting business educational information to school children, friendly visitations, cooking assistance, community relations, fundraising, bingo aides, and an array of special projects including Senior Sense, BITKITS, and Rutland Reads.

On behalf of RSVP, I would like to thank the residents of Rutland Town for their support in the continuation of the RSVP program. As financial constraints effect more and more non-profit organizations, the need for volunteers increases. With your help, RSVP will continue to respond to this need.

Sincerely,



Nan M. Hart, Director

November 1, 1998



## REGIONAL AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC.

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### 15th ANNUAL REPORT

(Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1998)  
15 Years of Service 1983 - 1998

To the Honorable Citizens of the Town of Rutland, VT:

We are pleased to present our 15<sup>th</sup> annual report to the Citizens we serve. Regional Ambulance Service, Inc. has continually provided emergency and non-emergency ambulance service for fifteen years. From 1983 to the end of this year Regional has responded to 59,539 ambulance calls. This past year, ending June 30, 1998, the service responded to a total of 5,602 ambulance calls in our 12 communities and an additional 1,440 paramedic intercept calls.

With the continued support of the citizens, our employees, and community governing bodies, we have been able to level fund or lower our assessment rate for the past 14 years. We were very pleased to lower our per capita rate by \$1 to \$5 per capita, a 16.6% decrease, for the next year. We extend our appreciation to everyone for their continued support.

Two new ambulances were put into service to replace older ambulances with over 130,000 miles of service on each of them. Six new state of the art Life Pack 12 Defibrillator Monitors were put into service. These defibrillator monitors have the capability of advanced cardiac monitoring, pacing, defibrillating and cardioverting cardiac patients. The replacement of vehicles and equipment is on an ongoing schedule.

Our motto "Serving People First with Pride, Proficiency and Professionalism" is demonstrated by our employee's commitment to continuing EMS training. Each year training is given in Critical Care Paramedicine, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Basic Life Support, Prehospital Advanced Trauma Life Support, Pediatric Advanced Life Support, Emergency Vehicle Operator, Bloodborn Pathogen and a variety of continuing education programs. Our professional staff is extremely capable and dedicated.

Monthly C.P.R. classes are taught at Regional Ambulance. Last year, through the R.A.S. Training Center, 773 people were certified in C.P.R. Tours, lectures, demonstrations, and C.P.R. classes are available for the general public. For further information call 773-1746.

The public is encouraged to visit and talk to the employees and Administrator at our Stratton Road facility. Please feel free to contact James Finger, Administrator, or your Representative, if you have any questions concerning the service.

We are proud of our accomplishments and look forward to serving you in the future. The Board of Directors, Administration and employees of Regional Ambulance Service, Inc. will continue striving to provide the highest quality of emergency ambulance care at the lowest possible cost to all of the citizens we serve.

Sincerely: Paul Kulig, President  
Board of Directors

Mary Keirstead  
R.A.S. Representative  
Town of Rutland

Vermont Enhanced 9-1-1 Board  
 1998 Status Report  
 by  
 Evelyn Bailey, Executive Director

Testing of the statewide enhanced 9-1-1 system wide is currently in progress and is proceeding successfully. The system will come on line only after every component has been fully tested and the test results have been verified and accepted by the Board. The statewide enhanced 9-1-1 system is scheduled to be operational on 17 November 1998.

The call takers at Vermont's eight Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) are in the final stages of their training for Certification as Vermont Enhanced 9-1-1 Telecommunicators.

As of this date, 149 of the 258 participating municipalities have finished all their work. Sixty-eight towns have completed everything except for address notification. Twenty-two towns are very far behind and will not be ready for implementation. Bethel and Pittsfield are not participating.

#### What Will Happen In Towns That Have Not Finished Their work?

There are serious implications for people who dial 9-1-1 from towns that have not completed all parts of the process, or who call from neighboring towns whose databases are affected: the information displayed at the PSAP may not be accurate; inaccurate information will cause confusion; confusion will make it more difficult for a 9-1-1 call taker to do his/her job; anything that delays call processing may delay the delivery of emergency services. It is urgently important that all towns complete all parts of the process.

#### Participating municipalities are required by law to maintain the following:

1. Enhanced 9-1-1 Coordinator, appointed by the Select Board, to be a liaison to the Enhanced 9-1-1 Board on all database and GIS/mapping maintenance issues
2. Municipal addressing system: increment, odd/even, direction of numbering, road naming
3. Master Street Address Guide (MSAG) database
4. Emergency Service Zone (ESZ) database and associated emergency service provider information

The person appointed by the Select Board to be the Enhanced 9-1-1 Coordinator should possess basic math and map reading skills and be comfortable talking to people.



## **SOUTHWESTERN VERMONT COUNCIL ON AGING**

Report to the Citizens of Rutland Town

The Council on Aging provided the following services to elder residents of the Rutland Town community during our last fiscal year:

**Senior Meals:** 2,211 meals were prepared and delivered to the homes of 21 frail elders who were homebound and unable to prepare a meal. This service is frequently referred to as "Meals on Wheels." In addition, 32 older persons participated at one or more of the luncheon sites supported by this agency, enjoying 988 meals at those locations.

**Case Management Assistance:** 28 elder residents of Rutland Town utilized the services of our Case Management staff who assisted elders with applications, re-certifications and problem solving for a variety of supportive programs such as Fuel Assistance, SSI, Medicaid, Medicaid Waiver, Food Stamps, etc. Case Management staff also provided specialized support and assistance to frail and vulnerable elders who were facing long term care placement. Case Managers helped those who wished to remain independent find and link up with the available services and supports.

**Other Service Support:** The Council on Aging also provided assistance to Rutland Town elders through such efforts as: 1) Information and Assistance support via our "Senior HelpLine." This toll free telephone service (1-800-642-5119) enabled elders, family members and others learn about and connect with needed services and programs available for older persons; 2) Health benefit counseling and health insurance form filing assistance through its HICA Program; 3) Peer Counseling Support for elders dealing with grief and depression brought on by various life changing events; 4) Legal service support through a contract with the Senior Law Project; 5) Transportation assistance through contracts with Marble Valley Regional Transit's "Elders on the Go" and the One 2 One Program sponsored by Rutland Community Programs; 6) Information about elder issues through the "Elder Connection" column appearing weekly in the Rutland Herald, written by Barbara Hanson, SVCOA's Community Resource Director.



VERMONT ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED

## TOWN OF RUTLAND TOWN REPORT

Information for publication in your Town Report is listed below:

The Vermont Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired (VABVI) services include: one-on-one intensive work with children, their families and teachers, educational Winter and Summer Camps for children and young adults; Individual and group rehabilitation training and peer support for adults; orientation and mobility training; access to and training on adaptive equipment and technology. We provide a range of volunteer services including transportation, home assistance and companionship, and Braille transcription.

VABVI's mission is: To help blind and visually impaired Vermonters achieve and maintain independence. We are the only private organization in the state providing direct services in education, training, and support to help visually impaired Vermonters adjust to vision loss. With staff based in Burlington, Montpelier, Rutland and Brattleboro, we serve Vermonters of all ages in every corner of the state. For 72 years we have been helping visually impaired Vermonters, and we currently serve approximately 1,125 Vermonters a year.

37 Elmwood Avenue  
Burlington, VT 05401  
(802)863-1358  
(FAX)863-1481

73 Main Street  
Montpelier, VT 05602  
(802)223-3178  
(FAX)223-4965

10 Burnham Avenue  
Rutland, VT 05701  
(802)775-6452  
(FAX)755-4669

8 Park Place  
Brattleboro, VT 05602  
(802)254-8761  
(802)254-4802

1-800-639-5861  
(Vermont Only)



## THE VERMONT CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING SUMMARY FOR TOWN REPORT

The Vermont Center for Independent Living teaches people with significant disabilities how to gain more control over their lives and how to access tools and services for living more independently. We also conduct public education and systems change activities that promote the full inclusion of disabled people into community life.

An estimated one in five Vermonters has a disability. The Vermont Center for Independent Living (VCIL), a private not-for-profit corporation, is Vermont's first and only cross-disability center for independent living and the first organization in the state to be directed and staffed by a majority of people with diverse disabilities.

Statewide, in FY98, from October 1, 1997 through September 30, 1998, VCIL responded to over 2000 requests from individuals, agencies and community groups for information and referrals on a broad range of subjects related to living with a disability. We provided one-on-one peer counseling to 368 individuals to help increase their opportunities and skills for independent living; provided 212 households with financial and technical assistance for making their bathrooms and entrances accessible to a disabled family member; we provided 273 individuals with personal assistance and/or assistive technology; and served a total of 12,000 home-delivered meals to Vermonters with disabilities.

VCIL's main office is located in down-town Montpelier. We have two smaller satellite offices in Bennington and Brattleboro. The Montpelier office houses our resource library and our toll-free information line which provides answers to related questions from every Vermont community. Our locally-based peer counselors are available to people with disabilities in every town in Vermont.

Between October 1, 1997 and September 30, 1998, VCIL provided direct services to 94 residents of Rutland Town and Rutland City combined utilizing the following programs/services: Information & Referral, Home Access Modifications, Meals on Wheels, Peer Advocacy Counseling, and Part B (Specific Assistance). To learn more about VCIL, please call us toll-free at, 1-800-639-1522.

## Association for Retarded Citizens - Rutland Area

Advocacy/Resources/Support for Citizens with mental disabilities and their families

formerly Rutland County-ARC

The mission of the Association for Retarded Citizens is to advocate, nurture and support the right of each individual with mental disabilities to be valued with the same entitlements as a non-disabled individual, including the right to lifelong opportunities for personal growth and full participation in the community. We receive no state or federal funding. Our main sources of income continue to be United Way and towns in Rutland County such as Rutland Town.

In 1998, we were representative payee for 61 clients referred to us by Social Security and the local mental health center. We assisted these clients in managing within their budget limitations, quite an accomplishment for people living on the limited resources of SS and SSI. We were involved in every operation from payment of bills, rent etc. to dispensing personal expense monies on a weekly basis. We negotiated and mediated between landlords, service providers, legal entities, law enforcement and businesses in cases where a client was unable to resolve an issue independently. The man hours involved in managing one client average from several hours monthly to 3-4 hours weekly, dependent on need.

We assisted 11 individuals/families in filling out annual accounting forms for probate court. We arranged 2 dances, a spring and fall party and an annual Christmas party, attended by 224 people. Folks with mental retardation are reviewed and recommendations made through our Citizen Review, a process to ensure quality services and environments for people with mental retardation. We also provided funding to Silver Towers to help with their maintenance costs and to a self-advocate so he and his support could go to an international conference of Advocacy.

Our Executive Director is a guest member of the Developmental Services Advisory Council, secretary and facilitator for the local self-advocacy group for people with developmental disabilities. She also serves on the Vermont Peer Support Network, a statewide self-advocacy network providing training, technical assistance and support to people with disabilities. She has recently joined the Rutland Regional Board of Family Services which is an agency that collects and disseminates information and encourages collaboration within the Service Providers in Rutland County.

We are grateful for the support and continued assistance from the citizens of Rutland Town. In 1998 residents of Rutland Town took advantage of one or all of the services we offered. We have one resident from Rutland Town serving on our Board of Directors.

Our 1999 request for funding from the town of Rutland is again \$ 800.00.

Lisa S. Lynch  
Executive Director

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128 Merchants Row, Rutland, VT 05701 ~ (802) 775-1370

### **George D. Aiken Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Council Available to Help You**

The George D. Aiken RC&D Council is here to serve your community. We coordinate and facilitate help to town governments, school districts, fire departments and nonprofit groups in the six southern counties in Vermont. We are a voluntary nonprofit citizen's group supporting community betterment and rural development. We get technical assistance and staff help through the U.S. Department of Agriculture but private sources make up most of our budget. The Council is self-supporting 501 (c)(3) nonpartisan organization that is available to **HELP YOU**.

We are available to your community but only at your request. We bring together technical and financial resources focused on the specific needs that you may have. Our mission is to help you meet your needs and we rely upon our extensive networks to bring the resources together.

Highlights of our work in 1998 and initiatives that can **HELP YOU** include:

#### **IMPROVED RURAL FIRE PROTECTION/INSURANCE COSTS**

We in rural Vermont experience greater loss from fire and generally pay higher insurance premiums. Your community can get help from our Fire Protection Engineering Technician to:

- Assist with strategic plans for a town-wide water withdrawal system for fire protection
- Provide technical specifications and plans for dry hydrants/pumping basins
- Become eligible for the Dry Hydrant Grant Program

The Vermont Rural Fire Protection Task Force is a working group of Vermont's RC&D Councils. They worked with the Governor and Legislature to get \$100,000 to support the Dry Hydrant Grants Program. We are excited to report that we hired Troy Dare as the Engineering Technician to help local communities plan, design and install facilities according to sound specifications.

Seventy (70) towns state-wide got \$1,000 grants approximately 50 were installed in 1998. The remaining are to be completed in 1999.

We hope to again have funds to continue this effective and popular program for 1999. The Vermont Legislature will be considering the funding again this year.

#### **VERMONT BETTER BACKROADS**

Want to save \$ while improving fishing, swimming and water supplies? Technical and financial support is available to **HELP YOUR TOWNS DO JUST THAT!** The Better Backroads Manual, Driveway Access Policy Guidelines and our popular Pocket Guide to Better Road Maintenance are available. Also... in 1998 we awarded \$18,000 to ten Vermont towns to demonstrate good road maintenance techniques.

We hope to have continued funding that is available to help demonstrate cost effective practices that protect the quality of waters in our streams, ponds and lakes.

#### **LOCAL CITIZENS ORGANIZING TO SUPPORT HEALTHY WATERSHEDS**

What do communities and citizens in the West River, White River and Poulney-Mettowee River Watersheds have in common? They are all coming together in order to improve the economic, social and environmental health of their watersheds.

A watershed is the area of land that drains into a stream or body of water. The groups in all three of these watersheds are working on a grassroots effort to build the capacity of **LOCAL DECISION MAKERS** in ways to support the environment while enhancing the economic strength of the region.

Is your community in one of these 3 watersheds? If so get involved. If not, call the George D. Aiken RC&D Council, your local Conservation District or Regional Commission to see how you might get an initiative started in your watershed.

Please consider the George D. Aiken Resource Conservation and Development Council your source of help. We work on a request basis. For information and free consultation call Dennis Borchardt our Executive Director at (802) 728-9526.

### Rutland Region Transportation Council

Post Office Box 965  
Rutland, Vermont 05702-0965  
802-775-0871/ 800-464-7900

#### Annual Report—FY1998 (October 1997-September 1998)

Over the last fiscal year (October 1997-September 1998), the Rutland Region Transportation Council and its staff have been working for improved transportation in Rutland County in the following ways:

- **Testified before the Vermont House and Senate transportation committees regarding regional transportation priorities** and provided comments to the Vermont Agency of Transportation (VAOT) on the development of the state FY 1999 (July 1998-June 1999) transportation Capital Budget and Program;
- **Created committee to investigate host of issues relating to the regulation of trucks with 53 foot trailers** (including impact on local businesses);
- **Continued to assess Rutland region's top transportation problems** and identified areas that should undergo detailed evaluation and preliminary design;
- **Participated in "Scoping" (pre-engineering) activities to advance local highway and bridge projects**, and participated in "Diagnostic Team" assessments to advance rail-highway projects;
- **Continued to address seasonal transportation problems along VT 103, VT 100, and US 4** by working with local and regional officials and ski area representatives;
- **Participated in the Project Advisory Committee for the US 4/US 7 Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)**; in cooperation with the Regional Planning Commission, created a Task Force that evaluated the study, identified preferred improvements, and made recommendations to the VAOT and the Federal Highway Administration;
- **Continued to revise the Rutland Region Transportation Plan and regional travel demand model** (which aids in the identification of future transportation needs);
- **Informed communities of opportunities presented by new state transportation programs**, including those targeting Class 2 highways and "local project management";
- **Continued to use computer software and develop data** that will help residents visualize what proposed transportation projects could look like; and
- **Completed study of local and regional bicycle and pedestrian needs**, and recommended "bike/ped" projects for state funding.

In the current federal fiscal year (October 1998-September 1999), the Rutland Region Transportation Council is continuing many of these efforts. It is also undertaking other initiatives, such as evaluating the link between transportation needs and development patterns.

Meetings of the Rutland Region Transportation Council are held once each month, normally on the fourth Thursday, in Rutland. All those with an interest in transportation and related issues are invited to attend. Questions about the Transportation Council may be directed to the following individuals: Dean Pierce, Senior Regional Planner (775-0871) or Charles Wise, Chairman (422-3577)

The Rutland Region Transportation Council is an organization dedicated to promoting cooperation and coordination on transportation issues among municipalities, organizations, and interests in the Rutland Region. Formed in December of 1992, the Transportation Council provides a forum for the development of regional transportation policies and priorities, and coordinates the implementation of those policies and priorities with the Vermont Agency of Transportation. Financial support for the organization is provided by state and federal funds obtained by the Rutland Regional Planning Commission, which provides planning, administrative, and geographic information system staff.

All municipalities in the Rutland Region are encouraged to be active in the Transportation Council, and those with representatives named to the Council may vote. Municipalities are not obligated to participate in the Council, however. Furthermore, those that do participate may cease their involvement at any time.



## VERMONT LEAGUE OF CITIES AND TOWNS UPDATE OF ACTIVITIES, 1998

Local officials joined to organize the Vermont League of Cities and Towns (VLCT) in 1967. Today local governments face increasing insurance needs and skyrocketing costs; a restructuring of the electricity delivery system; and issues concerning school funding, municipal management and technical planning that were never contemplated 30 years ago. VLCT is still today governed by a 13 member board of directors comprised of selectpersons, mayors, managers and clerks from around the state, and is dedicated to serving the best interests and needs of Vermont municipalities. VLCT is supported entirely by revenues from local governments and is an association independent from state or federal government. VLCT is proud to say that all 246 cities and towns in Vermont are members of the association.

Local officials' responsibility for a vast number of laws and regulations only grows over time. In 1999 and 2000, the most significant issue for local officials will be to comply with the evolving requirements of the new Equal Education Opportunity Act, Act 60. VLCT puts considerable effort into providing education for local officials and expects to increase that effort in 1999. VLCT offers workshops throughout the year to health officers, planning commissions, zoning administrators, selectpersons, auditors, tax collectors and others. In 1998 a new series of interactive workshops was offered to train local officials in mediation and violence prevention skills. In addition, VLCT provides handbooks on specific subjects to guide local officials in the discharge of their responsibilities. VLCT staff and attorneys are only a phone call away for local officials with specific questions about any local government matter. Thousands of questions were answered in the past year from virtually every member municipality.

VLCT is currently working with the Agency of Transportation to develop a program for the repair of local bridges by local governments in a streamlined way. The Vermont Local Roads Program offers technical assistance support to local officials as part of this project as well. Likewise, VLCT is collaborating with the Agency of Natural Resources to assist municipalities in complying with environmental regulations.

VLCT offers to municipalities insurance "trust" programs that save taxpayers thousands of dollars every year because member municipalities pool their resources before purchasing insurance. In 1997 and 1998 the VLCT Health Trust subsidized insurance rates for local officials in the amount of \$400,000. The Property and Casualty Intermunicipal Fund (PACIF) returned \$1,000,000 to its 210 member municipalities and the Unemployment Insurance Trust returned \$120,000. Since 1983 total distributions from the Health, PACIF and Unemployment Trusts have equaled \$8,740,000!

The *VLCT News* and *Weekly Legislative Report* provide municipal officials with up-to-date information on legislative issues along with articles of special interest on topics such as workplace safety, the Underage Drinking Task Force (S.T.A.R.T.), and municipal planning. Members may access that information and much more through VLCT's web site ([www.vlct.org](http://www.vlct.org)). VLCT also represents the interests of local government in the Legislature, using VLCT's *Vermont Municipal Policy*. This policy is developed by four committees of local officials and voted on by cities and towns at the annual meeting, which this year was held in September in Sherburne. Each city and town is entitled to a vote at the annual or any special meetings. Dues paid by member municipalities are vital to the continued existence of VLCT. Municipal officials around the state thank you for your support.

**BROC***Bennington-Rutland Opportunity Council, Inc.**Your Community Action Agency*

December 15, 1998

Board of Selectmen  
 Town of Rutland  
 PO Box 225  
 Center Rutland, VT 05736

Dear Board of Selectmen:

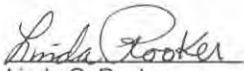
During Fiscal 1998 **BROC** provided a total of \$6,855.63 in assistance to Rutland Town area residents. Specifically, we provided:

- ♦ \$831.58 in direct assistance (fuel, electric, housing) for 9 households through our Community Services & Outreach department,
- ♦ Meals valued at \$86.86 for 5 households through our Emergency Food Shelf,
- ♦ \$5,937.19 in Energy Conservation & Weatherization measures for 1 household,
- ♦ Technical assistance to 3 clients through our Microbusiness Development Program

Each year we seek minimum funding from the towns in our forty-three town service area. **Our 1999 request for funding from Rutland Town is \$975.** The support we receive from the towns provides direct services - emergency financial assistance, temporary housing, food, or fuel - to individuals and families in need.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. **BROC** and the low-income residents of your community are grateful for your support.

Sincerely,



Linda G. Rooker  
 Executive Director

LGR/pas  
 Enclosures

60 Center Street • Rutland, Vermont • 05701 • 802-775-0878 • Fax: 802-775-9949 • 1-800-717-BROC  
 1 Harwood Drive • Bennington, Vermont • 05201 • 802-447-7515 • Fax: 802-447-7516



## RUTLAND COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

P.O. Box 303

79 CENTER STREET

RUTLAND, VERMONT 05702-0303

802-775-8002

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*Sheriff R. J. Elrick*

### SHERIFF'S REPORT

As we close the books on yet another calendar year, the Rutland County Sheriff's Department continues to grow in size and in service. We have seen an increase of 17% in our sworn ranks over the past year and 36% since 1996! Our services continue to expand with the expansion of such programs as D.A.R.E. and TRIAD, and the signing of additional contracts with communities for general law enforcement. The Department continues to promote ourselves by adhering to our:

#### MISSION STATEMENT

*The community is our customer. We will remember that every contact between a member of the community and a member of the Sheriff's Department is where community opinion begins.*

*Our business is service. The only way we can improve our business is to improve our service. We must be constantly willing to learn, modify and adapt our way of thinking to societal changes. We are willing to examine what we do and to risk change necessary for potential improvement.*

*The Rutland County Sheriff's Department has achieved its reputation as a professional, full service law enforcement agency because of its hard work to earn the trust of the communities we serve. We will safeguard that trust and shall keep our oath of office. Whether on or off duty, we shall conduct ourselves in a manner that satisfies or exceeds the highest degree of ethical standards. We will protect the rights of all citizens.*

*Employees deserve a decent working environment; one in which relationships are characterized by mutual respect and dignity. We will listen to one another, act fairly, and talk straight. We will encourage each other to contribute and grow to our fullest potential. We will work together as a team and appreciate the contributions of all.*

*Employees will be empowered at all levels to engage in problem identification and problem solving, resulting in quality service decisions. Together, our team of professionals will strive to attain common goals and improve the quality of life for those we serve.*

**"PROTECTING OUR FUTURE"**





The Sheriff's Department is staffed by a Sheriff and two full-time Deputies which are all State employees. In addition, our office staff consists of an Office Manager, a Bookkeeper, and an Assistant Secretary/Dispatcher. The County funds two of these positions and the Department funds the third. The remainder of the Department consists of thirty-one (31) Deputies (6 full-time and 25 part-time) who are all employees of the Department. The Department funds three of the full-time Deputies in part (75%) by a federal grant and in part (25%) through contracts with towns. This allows communities to enhance or provide additional law enforcement coverage at an extremely low cost during the life of the grant program.

As required by law, an audit of financial records for the Department has been accomplished. The report indicates compliance with generally approved accounting principles.

At present, the Sheriff's Department provides law enforcement services under contract with seven (7) towns in the County, as well as to the National Forest Service and the Diamond Run Mall. We continue to provide a roaming countywide patrol as well as resources permit. The Department provides court officers in Superior, District, Family, Probate, Magistrate, and Small Claims courts. The Department also contracts with private organizations to provide such services as traffic control, wide load escorts, and general security and enforcement. We continue to bear primary responsibility for prisoner transportation in Rutland County, including prisoners, juveniles and mental patients. The service of civil process has added new challenges in locating people with the changes in addressing as a result of the State's E-911 implementation.

During the past year, the Department began a county-wide snowmobile enforcement patrol, with equipment funded by a federal grant and salaries funded primarily through contracts with the Rutland County VAST organization and the National Forest Service. This effort will be more than doubled during the 1998-1999 season and expanded to share coverage with adjacent Counties as well.

Our educational and prevention efforts continue to grow. The community has shown tremendous interest and support to the TRIAD program. Designed to identify and address issues facing our seniors, many citizens have partnered in this effort. Our presence in the schools remains strong, both with the delivery of the D.A.R.E. curriculum in grades K-6 as well as with programs like "Rutland Reads", the Eddie Eagle Gun Safety program, and McGruff.

In the coming year, the Department will expand its office hours and have a dispatcher on-duty during evening hours to better serve the public. We will begin a pilot program in January of 1999 that will have all persons who are under a court order to report to a police agency, and perhaps submit to a breath test for alcohol presence, doing so at our office. This will cover all but Rutland City residents who will be required to report to the Rutland Police Department. The Department has secured a renewal grant to continue our Community Traffic Safety Program (CTSP) and will be designing and delivering a "traffic



school" model for first-time offenders on selected violations. We have also received a grant to conduct numerous "sobriety checkpoint" operations during 1999.

The Rutland County Sheriff's Department remains committed, as a full-service police agency, to meeting the needs of our county residents, albeit enforcement, education, or prevention. I encourage you to call our office or stop in with any questions, suggestions, or needs you might have throughout the year. We appreciate your support and your guidance can only better enable us to serve you!

R. J. Elrick  
Rutland County Sheriff

**DEPARTMENT ROSTER**  
**December 1998**

**Sheriff**

R. J. Elrick

**Captain/Chief Deputy**

Bruce W. Sherwin

**Sergeant First Class**

William H. Skeens

**Sergeant**

Stephen P. Benard

**Corporal**

Curtis H. Moore  
Frank L. Wilk, Jr.  
Timothy P. Solari  
Sharen D. Underwood\*

**Deputy First Class**

John D. Flory, Jr.  
James T. Freese  
Kenneth Haviland

**Deputy**

Douglas C. Barrett\*  
Kevin R. Blongy  
Gary J. Boutin  
Nancy S. Bride  
Bonnie K. Elrick  
Scott R. Goodhue  
Toni M. Poalino  
Carol Pritchard  
Matthew A. Prouty  
Carl J. Wedin  
Carolyn J. Wolk

**Special Deputy**

Ryan V. Cochrane  
Sally J. Cole  
Christopher A. Conway  
Daniel R. Gedney  
Henry E. Giddings  
Gordon R. Godfrey  
Steven S. Schutt  
Thomas M. Valach

**Provisional Deputy**

Heather M. Beauregard  
Mark W. Beezup  
Edward L. Patch  
Michael J. Tarbell

**Office Manager**

Penelope F. Bride

**Bookkeeper**

Linda M. Shambo

**Dispatcher**

Pamela Coolidge

\*State-Paid Transport Deputy

**WE RECYCLE...**

**Tin/Aluminum**

All food and beverage tin and aluminum cans, and clean pie pans and tin foil.

Rinse, clean and remove labels. Cut lids from cans.

**No** scrap metal, lids from glass jars, paint cans or tar pails.

**Glass**

Clear and green

Rinse, remove tops.

**No** drinking glasses, light bulbs, mirrors, porcelain, auto or window glass

**Clear HDPE**

Plastic milk jugs.

Rinse, remove tops.

**No** clear plastic, shrink wrap, ketchup bottles or hard plastic.

**Color HDPE**

Plastic detergent, soap and shampoo bottles and water and cider jugs.

Rinse, remove tops.

**No** baby wipes, food trays or toys.

**PET**

Clear plastic soda, water, juice, and cooking oil bottles.

Rinse, remove caps and metal seals.

**No** plastic wrap, toys, lids, caps, food trays or plastic bags.

**Cardboard**

Brown, double-walled material with wavy center used in most shipping boxes.

**No** pizza boxes, yellow or waxed cardboard..

**Newspaper**

Newspaper and inserts.

Keep dry

**No** envelopes, advertising mail, notebooks or books.

**White Office paper, magazines, and catalogs.**

Envelopes, and phone books.

**No** string or plastic.

**No Books (paperback or hardback).**

ATTENTION  
ALL VIETNAM WAR VETERANS

Vietnam Veterans of America (Chapter #1) is currently in the process of erecting a monument on South Main Street and Washington Street in Rutland, Vermont. This monument is to honor all combat Vietnam War Veterans whose home of record was Rutland County.

If you or anyone in your family served in-country or in the immediate theater of operations surrounding Vietnam during hostilities threat, kindly submit your name, address and a copy of your DD-214 to us, so we can include your name on our monument.

All information should be submitted to us by MAY 1, 1999. The monument should be completed by Memorial Day 1999.

Submit all information to:

V V A CHAPTER ONE  
PO BOX 6301  
RUTLAND, VT. 05701  
Attn: Andrew R Moschetto, Committee Chair

## Open Burning In Rutland Town

To the Residents of Rutland Town

For some of you in Town, the information here will be a reminder; for others, it will be new.

Open burning is the burning of materials in the open air, where smoke and by-products do not pass through a chimney, stack, or flue. The only material that may be burned is clean, natural, wood. Clean, natural, wood is any wood unpainted and untreated with any chemicals. Plywood, chip board, or pressure treated lumber are not natural woods.

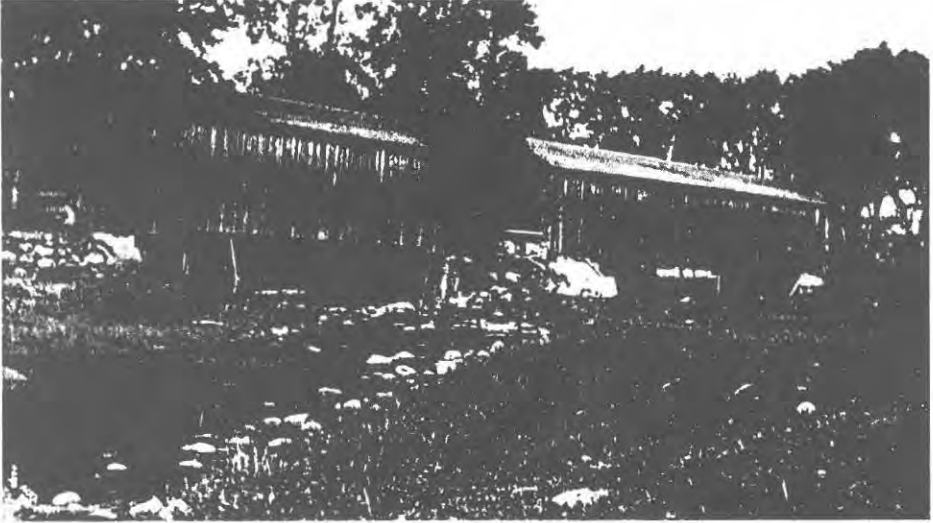
All open burning requires a permit year round and may be obtained from the Fire Warden, Fire Chief, or Assistant Fire Chief. Burning hours are generally from daylight until dark; Monday through Saturday. All permitted fires are subject to the conditions given at the time they are issued.

The burning of any solid wastes, such as papers, cardboard, or household garbage are prohibited; no permits will be issued for these materials. The use of approved incinerators is allowed; however, only clean, natural, wood may be burned in them. The backyard practice of burning household refuse and solid waste in burn barrels is illegal in the state of Vermont and Rutland Town.

Anyone needing more information about these issues please feel free to contact me at: 773-1542.

Thank you,  
Joe Denardo  
Fire Warden

# Rutland Town



*Twin Bridges, 1919*

## A Collection of Stories Spanning Over 200 Years of Town History

We have just received a re-print of the Book of Rutland Town History over the past 200 Years. We are again selling each Book for \$5.00. They are available daily at the Town Clerk's Office.

## NOTES



**SPECIAL THANKS TO**

**Jean & Wilbur Dubray for donating the 1998 Christmas Tree.**

**Joseph B Zingale Jr., Charlie Shields, & Robert Schlachter for the Town Report  
Photos.**

**William T Matteson & Richard J DelBianco for delivering and trimming the tree.**



## NOTES

PLEASE CUT OUT AND LOCATE NEAR PHONE

**FOR ALL FIRES  
CALL  
773-2565  
Town of Rutland  
Fire Department**

**EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

Rescue and Ambulance	—	"911"
State Police	—	773-9101
1st Constable	—	773-7388
2nd Constable	—	773-8973
		773-3791

**TOWN PHONE NUMBERS & CALENDAR**

Town Clerk & Treasurer's Office Hours	8:00 A.M.—4:30 P.M.
(Open during Noon Hour)	Tel: 773-2528

**REGULAR MEETINGS**

Selectmen	Town Office every other Monday-7:00 PM
Planning Commission	Town Office-1st & 3rd Thursday-7:00 PM
School Board	Elementary School-2nd & 4th Monday-7:00 PM

**1999 HOURS FOR TRANSFER STATION**

Wednesdays:	4:00 PM to 7:00 PM
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Saturdays:	8:00 AM to 1:00 PM
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Cheney Hill Community Center	773-8704
Northwood Pool (Summer)	775-7301
Salt Shed	773-8128
Elementary School	775-0566
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